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#### COMMENTS OF MORRIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

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#### **SUMMARY**

The newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban, which prohibits common ownership of a broadcast station and a daily newspaper in the same market, should be eliminated. The Telecommunications Act of 1996, coupled with established principles of administrative law, place the burden squarely on the FCC to present specific evidence and reasoned analysis to justify maintenance of this outdated prohibition. As a result of the sweeping changes that have occurred in the media marketplace and the repeal or substantial relaxation of local ownership restrictions in virtually all other contexts, the Commission cannot meet this heavy burden.

Morris currently operates newspaper/broadcast combinations in Amarillo, Texas and Topeka, Kansas pursuant to temporary conditional waivers of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban. Morris' experience, and the superior service offered by its outlets in those markets, provide substantial evidence that the FCC's anachronistic cross-ownership ban is unnecessary to increase competition or diversity, and indeed denies the public the many benefits that can result from the common ownership of newspaper and broadcast stations. Both sets of cross-owned outlets have a long history of joint ownership, and, concomitantly, service in the public interest. Further integration of Morris' newspaper and broadcast operations could bring enhanced benefits to the public in the form of increased news coverage of important local and national events, additional in-depth reporting, as well as improved weather and emergency coverage. Moreover, combining sales and advertising staffs would permit Morris to offer advertisers the benefits of one-stop shopping.

Furthermore, the Topeka and Amarillo markets, along with markets of all sizes across the country, have experienced tremendous growth in the number and variety of outlets for news, information, and advertising. This virtual explosion of the media marketplace has been marked by the development of new technologies not imagined when the Commission adopted the rule,

now including the Internet and DBS, as well as the proliferation of outlets that were in their infancy in 1975, such as cable, weekly newspapers, direct mail and magazines. These profound changes in the media marketplace, which have significantly increased the number of outlets that provide news, information, and advertising, eviscerate the diversity and competition rationales upon which the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban was based. The FCC has recently come to recognize this in other contexts, and has accordingly eliminated or substantially relaxed virtually all of its other local mass media ownership restrictions, leaving the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban an isolated remnant of an outdated regulatory regime. The transformation in the media and regulatory landscape, combined with the absence of any empirical evidence that joint operation of newspapers and broadcast stations causes harm to diversity or competition — and, indeed, substantial evidence of superior service by commonly owned outlets — require the Commission to repeal its counterproductive and antiquated newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership restriction.

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#### I. INTRODUCTION

Morris Communications Corporation ("Morris"), hereby submits its comments in the above-captioned proceeding, which was initiated by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission") to consider elimination or modification of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban embodied in Section 73.3555(d)(1)-(2) of the Commission's rules. For the reasons set forth below, Morris strongly supports the comments being filed today by the Newspaper Association of America ("NAA")<sup>2</sup> urging the Commission to repeal its antiquated and discriminatory prohibition on common ownership of daily newspapers and broadcast

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 73.3555(d)(1)-(2); <u>Cross-Ownership of Broadcast Stations and Newspapers</u>; <u>Newspaper/Radio Cross-Ownership Waiver Policy</u>, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in MM Docket Nos. 01-235, 96-197, FCC 01-262 (rel. Sept. 26, 2001) ("<u>NPRM</u>"). The daily newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule prohibits common ownership of a broadcast station and a daily newspaper in the same market.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> <u>See Comments of the Newspaper Association of America</u> in MM Docket Nos. 01-235, 96-197 (filed December 3, 2001) ("<u>NAA Comments</u>").

stations.3

The newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban was originally adopted in 1975 as part of a regulatory regime that has since been dismantled, in a media marketplace that bears little resemblance to that of the present. Even at that time, the Commission was unable to marshal concrete evidence that newspaper/broadcast combinations posed any threat to diversity or competition. In fact, the FCC acknowledged that its own competitive analysis had failed to show any effect on advertising rates attributable to newspaper ownership and, instead, justified the prohibition on a "mere hoped for gain in diversity."

In the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "1996 Act"), Congress specifically directed the Commission to review and eliminate unnecessary broadcast ownership rules. Section 202(h) of the 1996 Act requires the FCC to "review . . . all of its ownership rules biennially as part of its regulatory reform review under section 11 of the Communications Act of 1934" and to "determine whether any of such rules are necessary in the public interest as the result of competition." The statute further obligates the Commission to "repeal or modify any regulation"

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> In 1997, Morris filed reply comments in response to the Commission's Notice of Inquiry that was issued to explore possible revisions of the FCC's existing policies concerning waivers of the rule as it applied to newspaper/radio combinations, see <a href="Newspaper/Radio Cross Ownership">Newspaper/Radio Cross Ownership</a> <a href="Policy">Policy</a>, 11 FCC Rcd 13003 (1996), in which it argued that the newspaper/broadcast crossownership rule should be repealed. Morris hereby incorporates those reply comments by reference. <a href="See Reply Comments of Morris Communications Corporation and Stauffer Communications, Inc.">Inc.</a> in MM Docket No. 96-197 (filed March 21, 1997).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Amendment of Sections 73.34, 73.240, and 73.636 of the Commission's Rules Relating to Multiple Ownership of Standard, FM, and Television Broadcast Stations, 50 FCC 2d 1046, 1072, 1078 (1975) ("1975 Multiple Ownership Report"), recon., 53 FCC 2d 589 (1975), rev'd in part sub nom., National Citizens Comm. for Broadcasting v. FCC, 555 F.2d 938 (D.C. Cir. 1977) ("NCCB v. FCC"), reinstated, FCC v. National Citizens Comm. for Broadcasting, 436 U.S. 775 (1978) ("FCC v. NCCB").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Pub. L. No. 104-104, 110 Stat. 56 (1996).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> 1996 Act § 202(h). Section 11 of the Communications Act similarly requires the Commission

it determines to be no longer in the public interest."<sup>7</sup> In concrete terms, the FCC must "start with the proposition that the rules are no longer necessary" and must "justify [the] continued validity" of any rule it declines to repeal or relax.<sup>8</sup> As an outgrowth of the 1998 and 2000 Biennial Reviews, the instant proceeding is governed by this standard.<sup>9</sup>

The obligations imposed by the 1996 Act are mirrored in well-settled principles of administrative law that require an agency to review and alter its rules based upon intervening changes in circumstances that cause a regulation to no longer serve its intended public interest goal.<sup>10</sup> The Commission's burden is heightened where, as here, the prohibition was never

to engage in a biennial regulatory review of all regulations, to "determine whether any such regulation is no longer necessary in the public interest as the result of meaningful economic competition" and to "repeal or modify any regulation it determines to be no longer necessary in the public interest." 47 U.S.C. § 161.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> 1996 Act § 202(h).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Biennial Regulatory Review – Review of the Commission's Ownership Rules and Other Rules Adopted Pursuant to Section 202 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 15 FCC Rcd 11058, 11151 (2000) ("1998 Biennial Review Report") (Separate Statement of Commissioner Michael K. Powell); see id. at 11132 (Dissenting Statement of Commissioner Harold Furchtgott-Roth).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> See 2000 Biennial Regulatory Review, 16 FCC Rcd 1207, 1218 (2001) ("2000 Biennial Review Report") ("In the near future, we will also issue a notice of proposed rulemaking seeking comment on whether we need to modify the daily newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule in order to address contemporary market conditions."); 1998 Biennial Review Report, 15 FCC Rcd at 11105 ("[W]e believe that there may be circumstances in which the [newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership] rule may not be necessary to achieve its intended public interest benefits. We, therefore, will initiate a rulemaking proceeding to consider tailoring the rule accordingly.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> See, e.g., American Trucking Ass'ns, Inc. v. Atchinson, 387 U.S. 397, 416 (1967) (stating that "[r]egulatory agencies do not establish rules of conduct to last forever; they are supposed, within the limits of the law and of fair and prudent administration, to adapt their rules and practices to the Nation's needs in a volatile, changing economy."); Home Box Office v. FCC, 567 F.2d 9, 9 (1977) (stating that "a regulation perfectly reasonable and appropriate in the face of a given problem may be highly capricious if the problem does not exist."); see also Geller v. FCC, 610 F.2d 973, 980 (D.C. Cir. 1979) ("[A] statute depending for its validity upon a premise extant at the time of enactment may become invalid if subsequently that predicate disappears. It can hardly be supposed that the vitality of conditions forging the link between Commission regulations and the public interest is any less essential to their continuing operation.").

grounded in concrete evidence but, instead, was based upon a speculative "best guess" that it would lead to increased diversity. <sup>11</sup> In addition, the courts have consistently held that when the First Amendment is involved, proponents of regulation must provide specific evidence to support any potential infringement on free speech rights. <sup>12</sup> Accordingly, the 1996 Act's directive, combined with established principles of administrative and constitutional law, place the burden squarely on the FCC to demonstrate that any ownership restriction the Commission retains is appropriate and necessary to address a clear problem in today's media marketplace.

With respect to the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership prohibition, Morris believes that the record establishes that the ban does not further any demonstrable public interest objective. Today's media marketplace has a greater level of diversity and competition than the Commission could have imagined in 1975. The dramatic rise in diversity and competition is not a product of governmental regulation, but is instead a result of the technological revolution and the explosive growth in competition among an ever-expanding array of media and advertising outlets that has occurred during the last quarter century. Moreover, the experiences of Morris and others who operate the approximately forty newspaper/broadcast combinations in existence today demonstrate that newspaper/broadcast combinations in fact enhance the quantity and quality of news and informational programming in the contemporary marketplace, rather than detracting from it. Under these circumstances, the Commission is obligated to repeal its

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> <u>See Bechtel v. FCC</u>, 10 F.3d 875, 880 (D.C. Cir. 1993) (criticizing the FCC for its continued dependence on unverified predictions" in defense of its decades-old "integration" policy); <u>ACLU v. FCC</u>, 823 F.2d 1554, 1565 (D.C. Cir. 1987) (stating that "where the Commission itself has recognized the tentative nature of its predictive judgments . . ., we find it particularly appropriate to emphasize the need to vigilantly monitor the consequences of its [cable] rate regulation rules.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> <u>See Time Warner Entertainment Co. v. FCC</u>, 240 F.2d 1126, 1126 (D.C. Cir. 2001) ("<u>Time Warner II</u>"); <u>Turner Broadcasting Sys., Inc. v. FCC</u>, 512 U.S. 622, 664 (1994) ("<u>Turner I</u>") (quoting Quincy Cable TV Inc. v. FCC, 768 F.2d 1434, 1455 (D.C. Cir. 1985)).

anachronistic newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban.

#### II. MORRIS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

Morris is one of the country's strongest mid-sized privately held media companies, with diversified holdings that include newspaper publishing and radio broadcasting. Newspapers are the foundation and core business of the company, which dates back to the 1800s. Morris has fulfilled its longstanding commitment to providing the public with truthful, fair and accurate information through its diversified group of media holdings, which today includes 27 daily newspapers, 27 radio stations and three radio networks, as well as nine nondaily newspapers, an outdoor advertising company, two book publishing and distribution companies (one in London), 15 tourist publications (two in London), 20 magazines and specialized publications, 15 free community papers, a direct marketing company, two commercial printing operations, an online services division and computer services operations.<sup>13</sup>

Morris acquired a controlling interest in its first newspaper, the <u>Augusta Chronicle</u>, in 1945, and entered the broadcasting business in 1956 with the acquisition of Augusta, Georgia's first licensed radio station, WRDW, and its companion television station. That venture was short-lived, and the stations were sold in 1960. In 1995, broadcasting again became part of the company, with the acquisition of Stauffer Communications, Inc. ("Stauffer").<sup>14</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> A number of Morris' media properties serve specialized audiences. For example, Morris' book publishing business focuses on travel and outdoor recreation, complementing its tourist publications. Morris' magazine publishing business includes publications serving particular communities and industries, including the quarter horse industry and the barrel horse industry. Morris' online services division provides ISP services, serves as the world wide web publisher for Morris' newspapers and specialty publications, and operates a travel site, <<u>www.Excursia.com</u>>, as well as <<u>www.HorseCity.com</u>> (serving the horse industry),

<sup>&</sup>lt;www.Big12.net> (a discussion board about "Big 12" college sports), and

<sup>&</sup>lt; www.FanaticZone.com > (providing coverage of Southeastern Conference sports).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> See Stauffer Communications, Inc., 10 FCC Rcd 5165 (1995).

Morris currently operates two radio/newspaper combinations pursuant to temporary conditional waivers granted in connection with the Commission's approval of its acquisition of Stauffer. 

Morris is the parent company of MCC Radio, LLC, the licensee of WIBW(AM) and WIBW-FM in Topeka, Kansas, where Morris owns and operates the Topeka Capital-Journal. 

MCC Radio, LLC is also the licensee of KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM in Amarillo, Texas, where Morris owns and operates the Amarillo Globe-News. Since the acquisition of the radio stations by Morris, the broadcast outlets and newspapers in each market have maintain separate staffing and, therefore, have been unable to take full advantage of the numerous synergies and efficiencies that might be generated through common ownership and operation of the facilities. Nevertheless, Morris' ownership of newspaper and broadcast properties in these two markets provides compelling evidence that supports repeal of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban.

# III. MORRIS' EXPERIENCE WITH COMMON OWNERSHIP OF BROADCAST AND NEWSPAPER PROPERTIES CONFIRMS THAT CO-OWNED BROADCAST AND NEWSPAPER OUTLETS PROVIDE SUPERIOR SERVICE

As the Commission recognized when it adopted the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule in 1975, joint newspaper/broadcast operations typically provide superior public service to their local audiences. Morris' operation of its newspaper and radio properties in Topeka and Amarillo has proven the accuracy of this observation. Morris believes that if it were

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> <u>See Stauffer Amarillo Radio Trust</u>, 11 FCC Rcd 14865 (1996). A complete discussion of the facts surrounding Morris' acquisition of Stauffer can be found in Morris' reply comments in the Commission's 1996 Newspaper/Radio Cross-Ownership Waiver Policy proceeding, which are incorporated by reference. <u>See supra</u>, note 3. Morris' waiver has since been extended, pending the outcome of this proceeding. <u>See NPRM</u> at ¶ 16.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> See 1975 Multiple Ownership Report, 50 FCC 2d at 1078, 1094-98 (App. C.) (concluding that there was a "statistically significant superiority in newspaper owned television stations in a number of program particulars.").

permitted to make full use of the synergies and efficiencies of cross-ownership, even greater benefits could be realized though its Topeka and Amarillo properties. Further, Morris would be free to pursue the possibilities of additional combinations in other markets where it now owns newspapers or broadcast stations but is currently precluded from acquiring complementary properties.

### A. Morris' Topeka and Amarillo Properties Have a Long History of Providing Superior Service Within Their Communities.

WIBW(AM) and WIBW-FM have been owned by the publishers of the <u>Topeka Capital</u>

Journal since 1957.<sup>17</sup> The Topeka radio stations have a long history of providing their local community with superior entertainment as well as local news and information, as evidenced by their popularity among listeners and their ratings success.<sup>18</sup> WIBW(AM) broadcasts its own locally produced programming, from 5:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. and from 5:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. daily.<sup>19</sup> Between 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m., the station airs an all-news format, and broadcasts top- and bottom-of-the-hour newscasts during all other times. Similarly, WIBW-FM has its own news staff and develops and presents its own newscasts as an integral part of its daily

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Between 1927 and 1957, the owner of another publication, <u>Capper's Weekly</u>, controlled the stations. Additionally, prior to the transfer of control to Morris in 1995, Stauffer also was the licensee of WIBW-TV, which has since been sold to Benedek Broadcasting Corporation. <u>See</u> FCC File Nos. BALCT-19960111IQ, <u>et al.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> <u>See</u> BIA Financial Network, <u>Radio Market Report 2001</u>, <u>Topeka, KS Competitive Overview</u> (2001).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Morris' WIBW(AM) is one of the last "shared time" stations in the United States, and shares time with KKSU, an educational station operated by the Kansas State University. Under the shared time arrangement between the stations, WIBW(AM) signs off each weekday at 12:30 p.m., and KKSU signs on and broadcasts on the same frequency for 5 hours. WIBW(AM) then signs back on at 5:30 p.m. Obviously, this longstanding time-sharing arrangement substantially restricts WIBW(AM)'s ability to provide continuous coverage of important events. Nevertheless, as discussed above, the station offers its listeners a substantial amount of independently produced local programming.

programs – unlike the "rip and read" approach common among FM stations. Because agriculture is among the most important industries in Kansas, the two radio stations share a three-person farm reporting staff, and WIBW(AM) broadcasts a host of farm information in addition to its news, talk, and sports programming. WIBW-FM supplements its regular newscasts with information about important agricultural developments in the area. WIBW(AM) has been the "flagship" station of Kansas State University for over 20 years, and airs all of the university's sporting events. WIBW(AM) also regularly broadcasts over 200 local high school sporting events. WIBW(AM) and –FM staff also are heavily involved in community affairs. As an example, Craig Colboch, the stations' general manager, is the immediate past president of the Better Business Bureau of Northeast Kansas.

The <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u> also has a long history of superior service, and has recently expanded its commitment to provide superior online access to the contents of the newspaper and other enhanced services through its website, <<u>www.cjournal.com</u>>. Rob Curley, the director of new media for the <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u>, has received the "New Media Pioneer Award" from the NAA for his work on the newspaper's Internet version.<sup>20</sup> The <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u>'s homefinder service also received awards from the NAA, being named "Best Classified Use of New Media" in the less than 75,000 circulation category.<sup>21</sup> Through cooperation with the Morris News Service, which maintains a Washington News Bureau as well as similar bureaus in Atlanta, Georgia and Austin, Texas, the <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u> is able to provide its readers with wide-ranging coverage of national and regional news.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> See Morris Earns Five Top Awards in Digital Publishing: Topeka's Rob Curley Named NAA's 'New Media Pioneer,' 'Best News Site' Honors Go to Savannah at <a href="https://www.morris.com/standard/press/July20.2001.html">www.morris.com/standard/press/July20.2001.html</a> (July 20, 2001).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> See id.; <<u>www.cjonline.com/homefinder</u>>.

KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM in Amarillo similarly have a long history of common ownership by the publishers of a local newspaper and, concomitantly, a long history of service in the public interest. The publisher of the Amarillo daily newspaper, the Globe-Times Publishing Co., put KGNC(AM)'s predecessor station on the air in 1922, and in 1947 started operating KGNC-FM. During the station's first period of newspaper ownership, KGNC(AM) was built into a highly respected regional information station, broadcasting local news, farm and ranch reports, and talk programming, often featuring well-known writers and editors from the newspaper. KGNC-FM, similarly, has always been a leader among FM stations in the Amarillo market. The accomplishments of the Amarillo Globe-Times, the Globe-News' predecessor, are exemplified by the paper's receipt of the coveted Pulitzer gold medal for community service in 1961 as a result of investigations into corruption in county affairs. The newspaper/radio alliance made possible considerably more of this type of public interest programming and reporting than would ever have been possible for independent owners in smaller markets at the time. Common ownership of the radio stations and the Amarillo daily paper continued until 1966, when Stauffer purchased KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM. Morris acquired the Amarillo daily newspaper in 1972, and the radio stations in 1995.

Under Morris' control, KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM have continued to offer the citizens of Amarillo superior service, as evidenced by their high ratings among listeners.<sup>22</sup> KGNC(AM) produces a substantial amount of local news and talk programming and maintains a top-ranked agri-business department. KGNC(AM) regularly airs locally produced, information-oriented programming from 5:30 until 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. each day.<sup>23</sup> On the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> <u>See BIA Financial Network, Radio Market Report 2001, Amarillo, TX Competitive Overview</u> (2001).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> KGNC(AM)'s position as a leader in providing Amarillo with breaking news was exemplified

weekends, KGNC(AM) airs an additional five hours of local programming. KGNC(AM) also broadcasts a substantial amount of local sports programming. The station is the "flagship" station of West Texas A&M University, the only four-year college in the Amarillo metropolitan area, and airs more than 90 of the university's sporting events each year. KGNC(AM) also regularly broadcasts a large number of local high school sporting events. Like WIBW(AM), its counterpart in Kansas, KGNC(AM) provides hourly local newscasts.

KGNC-FM, in turn, is the only music station out of sixteen licensed to Amarillo that presents regular local news programming, produced by KGNC-FM in conjunction with the KGNC(AM) news staff. Additionally, KGNC-FM is one of only three stations in the Amarillo market that airs live local programming during the morning drive time, providing listeners with local news and traffic information while they are commuting to work. KGNC-FM also is heavily involved in community affairs in Amarillo. The station's promotion director participates in more than 10 events monthly, sponsored by local public service and charitable organizations.

Representatives of organizations that sponsor such events appear frequently as guests on KGNC-FM's morning show. In addition, KGNC(AM)'s commitment to the farm community was recently recognized by Epsilon Sigma Phi, the Texas state extensive service professionals' honor society, which awarded the station's farm director, Bob Givens, its "State Friend of Extension" award in 2000.<sup>24</sup> The station's general manager, Dan Gorman, was similarly honored for his commitments to the Amarillo community by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, which named

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in the wake of the tragic events of September 11, when KGNC(AM)'s news coverage was provided via simulcast on KGNC-FM, as well as KPAN(AM)/-FM (licensed to KPAN Broadcasters), KQTY(licensed to Zia Broadcasting Company) and KGRO (licensed to Pampa Broadcasters, Inc.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> <u>See Awards and Honors at <www.morris.com/standard/press/other-awards.html</u>> (First Quarter 2000).

him "Volunteer of the Year."

The Amarillo Globe-News similarly provides Amarillo residents with outstanding local and national news coverage, and is heavily committed to serving its local community. Through its website, <www.amarillonet.com>, the newspaper offers readers a web portal containing all of the content in the paper as well as discussion forums on TalkAmarillo and interactive community and entertainment calendars. In addition, the Amarillo Globe-News sports editors have received awards from the Associated Press for general excellence in sports reporting and for their special section on area high school football, entitled "Friday Night Flashbacks/Pigskin Preview."<sup>25</sup> The newspaper's participation in local charity events is further testament to its commitment to the Amarillo community. In January 2001, for example, the Amarillo Globe-News kicked off an eighteen-month "Reach out Volunteer" program, which includes a daily front-page salute to a local volunteer and provides matching of donations made to local charities by its sponsors. The newspaper also sponsors an annual 10-K/5-K race benefiting local public service organizations and participates in the "Newspapers in Education" program, which provides free newspapers to local elementary schools. In addition to its fundraising efforts, the Globe-News has sponsored Amarillo's annual Fourth of July fireworks celebration for several decades. In recent years, KGNC(AM)/-FM have simulcast a choreographed musical production during the celebration, thereby enhancing the fireworks display.

Of course, there has never been any evidence that the Topeka or Amarillo stations were programmed or sold advertising in a manner inconsistent with the public interest. On the contrary, the Commission time and time again has regularly renewed the station's licenses, and the FCC has never found any cause for concern with respect to diversity or competition in the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> See Sports Editors Honor Best in the Nation at

<sup>&</sup>lt;a href="http://www.morris.com/standard/press/sports\_1stquarter.html">http://www.morris.com/standard/press/sports\_1stquarter.html</a> (First Quarter 2000).

Topeka marketplace. As demonstrated above, newspaper ownership has unquestionably fostered the development of the Topeka and Amarillo stations as vital outlets for local news, agricultural reports, and similar public service programming.

B. The Record in This Proceeding Supports Elimination of the Newspaper/Broadcast Cross-Ownership Rule in its Entirety, Without Imposition of Structural Separation Requirements.

As the FCC has acknowledged, common ownership is likely to enable newspapers and broadcast stations to realize considerable cost savings by (1) sharing staff members in various business units, including newsgathering, news reporting, advertising sales, technical services, administrative and business functions, and human resources; (2) sharing physical facilities and thus reducing rent and overhead costs; and (3) sharing newsgathering resources such as news bureaus and wire services. As stated in the NPRM, "[s]ome of the additional savings [generated by cross-ownership] could . . . be passed along to listeners, viewers, and subscribers in the form of enhanced content."

Since its acquisition of newspaper/radio combinations in Topeka and Amarillo, Morris has continued to operate the print and broadcast facilities separately. Nevertheless, the foregoing discussion provides concrete evidence of the superior service provided by Morris' newspaper/broadcast combinations. The quality and quantity of local news and information would only be increased if the FCC were to repeal the cross-ownership rule and permit further integration of broadcast and newspaper operations.

As discussed above, Morris' Topeka radio stations currently provide agricultural information by way of a three-person farm reporting staff. Utilization of the efforts of the combined farm reporting staffs of WIBW(AM) and the <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u>, however, would

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> NPRM at ¶ 25.

permit WIBW(AM)/-FM to provide significantly improved coverage of news and local events affecting the many area citizens who depend upon agriculture for their livelihood. Weather and disaster coverage is another area that could be vastly improved by allowing sharing of resources. Severe weather, including tornadoes, ice storms, and blizzards, is exceedingly common in Eastern Kansas, and no radio station can employ enough reporters to be on hand for every such occurrence. With the far reaching network of "stringers" employed by the Topeka Capital-Journal available to deliver instant eyewitness reports, live radio coverage of severe weather conditions affecting the listening areas of WIBW(AM) and WIBW-FM could be greatly improved, bringing significant benefits to the public in the event of a weather emergency. Similarly, the availability of the co-owned newspaper's reporting staff would enable the radio stations to provide on-the-spot coverage of natural disasters and other life-threatening situations in which the availability of accurate and up-to-the-minute information is vitally important to the safety of the residents of the affected areas.

Day-to-day news coverage of local, state, and even national events could also be significantly increased through use of the combined resources of the Topeka radio stations and the co-owned daily newspaper. As noted above, the Topeka Capital-Journal has access to the Morris News Service, which could be relied upon by the radio station to supplement news and public affairs coverage from national networks. The newspaper's reporting staff also could share information and resources with the radio stations that would allow greater depth of coverage and coverage of an increased number of events with a focus on the Topeka area in particular—a focus that national sources cannot be expected to provide. Utilization of the newspaper's reporters could also enable the radio stations to undertake assignments that are now out of reach due to budgetary or personnel limitations, such as investigative reporting efforts and other

special efforts. Moreover, with the ability to combine efforts with the local newspaper for coverage of events such as state high school sports tournaments, the Topeka radio stations could improve both the quantity and quality of sports coverage, to the benefit of radio listeners and newspaper subscribers, as well as the high school sports programs in the community. The radio stations could also provide useful music and computer industry news for inclusion in the newspaper.

Similar public service benefits could be realized if KGNC(AM)/-FM and the Amarillo Globe-News were permitted to continue to operate under common ownership free of any requirement that they maintain separate staffs. Over the more than forty-year period during which the Amarillo stations were under joint ownership with the daily newspaper, KGNC(AM) established itself as a leader in the provision of local news, agricultural information and talk programming.

If common ownership and greater integration of the newspaper and radio station operations of the Amarillo Globe-News and KGNC(AM)/-FM were permitted on a permanent basis today, the newspaper would be able to provide more aggressive farm and ranch coverage by calling on KGNC(AM)'s agri-business department. Similarly, the radio stations could take advantage of the "stringer" network maintained by the newspaper across the five-state area surrounding Amarillo, permitting improved dissemination of breaking news stories and emergency weather reports. As with the Topeka stations, KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM could take advantage of the resources of the Morris News Service, allowing greater coverage of national events, and the entities' combined sports staffs would be able to report on more local sporting events than either could possibly cover on an independent basis. Likewise, combining the operations of the newspapers and broadcast stations would make possible more investigative

reporting and similar undertakings, would improve local news, talk, and agricultural programming, and would ensure that KGNC-FM can continue to provide local news coverage.

Moreover, as the FCC stated in the NPRM:

[T]he efficiencies of a merger [between a broadcast station and a daily newspaper in the same market] may enable [the] broadcast station and [the] newspaper to combine sales and operations staff, and thereby save expenses or reduce advertising prices. At least some of the savings could be passed on to advertisers.<sup>27</sup>

Because Morris has thus far refrained from combining its newspaper and radio operations, it has not been able to pass along any cost savings to advertisers or to offer the benefits of "one-stop shopping" to companies that might choose to advertise on both its radio stations and its newspapers within a single market. If the Commission were to lift the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban and allow integration between newspaper and broadcast advertising sales operations, Morris would not only be able to provide the enhanced programming and public service discussed above, but could also provide its advertising customers with enhanced service, such as package rates, custom tailored mixed-media campaigns, and one-stop shopping.

Morris does not expect that integration of newspaper and broadcast properties would in any way result in a homogenization of content. Rather, the newspaper and radio properties in Topeka and Amarillo, respectively, have been historically operated independently insofar as viewpoint is concerned; the editorial stances of the radio stations in the two markets have never been dictated by those in control of the co-owned newspaper.<sup>28</sup> Furthermore, as the Commission has previously acknowledged, common ownership may create commercial incentives to diversify

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> <u>NPRM</u> at ¶ 25.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> In fact, WIBW(AM) and WIBW-FM have frequently broadcast radio editorials that directly conflict with the <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u>'s editorial stance in the past, and would continue to do so absent the structural separation requirements.

programming among outlets in order to produce the larges aggregate audience for the overall enterprise.<sup>29</sup> Consequently, editorial content will not automatically merge in the future if Morris is permitted to continue to own both newspaper and radio outlets in Topeka and Amarillo or to acquire combinations elsewhere. Although the reporting resources of the various properties could be combined on specific projects to provide benefits to the public, Morris does not anticipate that the editorial voices of the co-owned facilities would be the same.<sup>30</sup> Moreover, as demonstrated in the following section, the level of diversity that is present in Amarillo and Topeka, as well as markets of every size across the nation, virtually eliminates the possibility that a single owner could monopolize the information or advertising marketplace in any locale.

# IV. AN ANALYSIS OF THE HIGHLY COMPETITIVE MARKETS IN AMARILLO AND TOPEKA DEMONSTRATES THAT REPEAL OF THE NEWSPAPER/BROADCAST CROSS-OWNERSHIP RULE WILL HAVE NO ADVERSE IMPACT ON DIVERSITY OR COMPETITION

A. The Commission Itself Has Previously Recognized That the Topeka and Amarillo Markets Are Served by a Multiplicity of Media Sources

In its decision approving Morris' acquisition of the newspaper/radio combinations in Topeka and Amarillo, the Commission examined the relevant markets and expressly found that

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> See, e.g., Review of the Commission's Regulations Governing Television Broadcasting; Television Satellite Stations Review of Policy and Rules, 10 FCC Rcd 3524, 3551 n.81 (1995) ("stations managed in common may have greater incentives to appeal separately to distinct segments of the audience with distinct programming."); Revision of Radio Rules and Policies, 6 FCC Rcd 3275, 3276 (1991) ("where one party owned all the stations in a market, its strategy would likely be to put on a sufficiently varied programming menu in each time slot to appeal to all substantial interests.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Indeed, when the FCC adopted the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership ban in 1975, it acknowledged that co-owned "print and [broadcast] outlets were [not] mirror images of one another, speaking with one voice" as a factor in saving numerous combinations from divestiture. 1975 Multiple Ownership Report, 50 FCC 2d at 1089.

the combinations would not "appreciably affect diversity or competition." The FCC pointed to showings by Stauffer and Morris which indicated that the Topeka-Lawrence-Osage radio market was served by 15 radio stations, while the Topeka Designated Market Area ("DMA") included four television stations licensed to Topeka as well as four low power television stations. 32 Similarly, Morris demonstrated that the Amarillo-Canyon radio market is served by 26 radio stations, and that the Amarillo DMA was served by at least six television stations (five of which are licensed to Amarillo), at least six low power television stations, and at least one television translator station. 33 This decision was consistent with the Commission's earlier decision granting a temporary waiver of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule to permit Morris to initially acquire control of the Stauffer properties in Topeka, in which the agency had expressly found that "the market of Topeka hosts a multiplicity of alternative media services." 34

B. A More Thorough Examination of the Topeka and Amarillo Markets Reveals That an Even Larger Number of Media Outlets Compete Today with Morris in the Information and Advertising Marketplace.

The Commission's previous analysis of the Topeka and Amarillo markets took into account only FCC-authorized facilities in the defined areas and, Morris submits, incorrectly defined the relevant advertising product market. The agency assumed that newspapers and broadcast stations make up a definable product market, and considered only competitors within that "market" in its competitive analysis. As a preliminary matter, the FCC's analysis incorrectly lumps newspaper and broadcast stations together in a monolithic product market, without due

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> Stauffer Amarillo Radio Trust, 11 FCC Rcd at 14868.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Id. at 14867.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> <u>Id.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Stauffer Communications, Inc., 10 FCC Rcd at 5165.

regard for the differences between the various media. Moreover, the Commission's analysis fails to take into account numerous alternative advertising and information outlets that compete with newspapers and broadcast stations to the same degree that those media compete with each other. Thus, the FCC's analysis is at the same time over-inclusive and under-inclusive, and significantly underestimates the level of competition that exists in these markets.

As the Commission acknowledges in the NPRM, any competitive analysis must begin with the definition of the relevant product market.<sup>35</sup> In this case, the FCC has stated that the definition of the relevant product market turns on whether newspapers and radio stations are interchangeable substitutes for advertisers and the public.<sup>36</sup> Morris submits that, although newspapers and radio stations both provide advertising, news and information, they cannot be regarded as fully interchangeable. The degree to which advertisers view newspapers and radio stations as substitutes varies extensively depending on the identity of the advertiser, the product, and the intended target audience. Indeed, the Commission itself has acknowledged that there is no concrete evidence that newspapers and radio stations are part of a self-contained advertising or information market. During the 1998 Biennial Review, the Commission based its decision to retain the local radio ownership rules at least in part upon the lack of direct substitutes for radio advertising.<sup>37</sup> Accordingly, the degree to which newspapers and radio stations can be viewed as "competitors" in a single advertising product market cannot be generalized, and is insufficient to

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> <u>See NPRM</u> at ¶ 21.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> See id.; <u>United States v. E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.</u>, 351 U.S. 377, 394 (1956) (stating that products constitute a single competitive market when they are "reasonably interchangeable by consumers for the same purposes.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> <u>See 1998 Biennial Review Report</u>, 15 FCC Rcd at 11088-89 (Acknowledging that "for certain advertisers, newspapers, cable, and broadcast television stations do not constitute an effective substitute for radio stations.").

warrant maintenance of an absolute ban on newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership.<sup>38</sup>

Similarly, the degree to which the public views newspapers and broadcast stations as competitors in the information marketplace differs widely depending on the type of information that is being communicated and on each individual's particular preferences. Although newspapers and radio stations both provide news and information, they do so in entirely different formats. Indisputably, newspapers offer far greater in-depth coverage and background information on a wide variety of issues than do broadcast outlets. Additionally, inherent differences between newspapers and radio stations dictate differences in the type of news coverage offered. Newspapers, as a text-based medium, have far greater flexibility in terms of providing more detailed material that readers may need time to absorb and consider. Radio broadcasts, in contrast, are fleeting, and therefore must present information to viewers in an easily understandable fashion to convey a message quickly and effectively. Moreover, the Commission has "distinguished the influence of television from that of . . . both newspapers and radio as having more visual impact and serving more people as a primary source of news."39 As newspapers and broadcast stations provide news in different formats for different purposes, they cannot be said to compete in a discrete definable market for news or information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> As explained more fully in the NAA's comments, current economic and antitrust analysis support a finding that newspaper advertising and broadcast advertising are not sufficiently interchangeable to constitute a single product market, to the exclusion of other advertising vehicles. See NAA Comments. Accordingly, the prohibition on newspaper ownership of broadcast stations is unnecessary to protect against the danger that a newspaper/broadcast combination might pose an appreciable risk to competition in a single definable advertising market.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> 1998 Biennial Review Report, 15 FCC Rcd at 11117; see Review of the Commission's Regulations Governing Television Broadcasting, Television Satellite Stations Review of Policy and Rules, 14 FCC Rcd 12903, 12917-18 (1999) ("Local Television Ownership Order"), recon., 14 FCC Rcd 20571 (1999), further recon. 16 FCC Rcd 1067 (2001).

In sum, newspapers and radio stations are not wholly interchangeable, and thus should not be analyzed together as a single undifferentiated product market for all purposes. The Commission may not justify maintenance of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule based on an elusive desire to protect competition in an ill-defined market, as newspaper/broadcast combinations plainly cannot pose a competitive risk within segments in which newspapers and broadcast stations do not compete. If, however, the Commission were to choose to disregard marketplace realities and analyze newspapers and radio stations as part of the same "product market," it would also have to consider all other forms of media that advertisers view as equally close substitutes, and could not arbitrarily include some media and exclude others. Any advertising market broad enough to encompass both newspapers and broadcast stations must also include a variety of alternative media, such as cable, weekly newspapers, yellow pages, magazines, direct mail, outdoor advertising, and the Internet—as well as any other media outlet that an advertiser could reasonably be expected to use to reach its target audience.<sup>40</sup> Alternative forms of information must be considered to the same degree in analyzing the effects of newspaper/broadcast combinations on diversity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> A more detailed discussion of the extent to which other media outlets compete with newspapers and broadcast stations is provided in the comments of the NAA. See NAA Comments; Economists Incorporated, Horizontal and Vertical Structural Issues and the Newspaper-Broadcast Cross-Ownership Rules (December 2001) (attached to NAA Comments); see also National Economic Research Associates, Regulating Television Station Acquisitions: An Economic Assessment of the Duopoly Rule, at 2 (May 17, 1995) (attached to Local Station Ownership Coalition Comments in MM Docket No. 91-221 (filed May 17, 1995)) (concluding that a market for local advertising that includes radio, broadcast and newspaper advertising also includes direct mail, magazines, yellow pages, and outdoor billboards); Economists Incorporated, An Economic Analysis of the Broadcast Television National Ownership, Local Ownership, and Radio Cross-Ownership Rules, at 23-24 (May 17, 1995) (attached to CBS, NBC, ABC and Westinghouse Joint Comments in MM Docket No. 91-221 (filed May 17, 1995)) (citing empirical evidence demonstrating "that other forms of advertising, such as yellow pages, outdoor and direct mail, are substitutes for video, radio and newspaper advertising," and concluding that "there is no evidence to support a conclusion that [these] other forms of advertising . . . do not constrain the prices of video, radio and newspaper advertising.").

Moreover, to provide an accurate view of the level of competition actually faced by a newspaper or broadcast station, the geographic scope of any such "market" must be large enough to include the entire area within which a newspaper or broadcast company competes for audience and advertising dollars. At a minimum, this market must be as large as the markets used by the industries for audience and circulation measurement. Additionally, where a station's service area or a newspaper's circulation actually extends beyond the industry-defined area to which it is attributed, competing outlets in that expanded region must be considered as well.

Materials prepared by WIBW(AM)/-FM management, attached hereto as Appendix A, show that at least eight radio stations and six television stations are licensed to communities within the Topeka "Metro" counties as identified by Arbitron (Shawnee, Osage, Jackson, Wabaunsee, and Jefferson), and that an additional seventeen radio stations have a sufficient listenership to be listed in the Fall 1996 Arbitron report for Topeka. In addition to the Morris properties, the Topeka Metro also is the home of ten other newspapers, five cable systems, and a host of direct mail, yellow pages, outdoor, and other advertising services. If the Topeka DMA is considered, an additional twenty-two radio stations and one additional television station enter the mix, along with twenty-three more newspapers (including four dailies), and numerous additional cable and alternative advertising vehicles.

The WIBW-FM primary service contour, moreover, takes in a substantial area that is not included in the Topeka Metro or DMA, but in which the station of course faces further competition (from ten more radio stations, an additional TV station, a host of competing newspapers and cable systems, and additional direct mail services, outdoor advertising companies, and yellow pages publishers). The WIBW(AM) daytime 0.5 mV/m contour covers a far larger area still, and brings that station into competition with literally hundreds of information

providers and advertising vehicles throughout the eastern half of Kansas as well as adjacent portions of Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, and Oklahoma.

The Amarillo information and advertising markets, in which KGNC(AM), KGNC-FM, and the Amarillo Globe-News are participants, are even more diverse and competitive. The materials prepared by the management of the Amarillo radio stations, attached hereto as Appendix B, show that the Morris outlets compete with thirty-one other radio stations, five television stations, two cable systems, and dozens of print, video, and other alternative information providers within Arbitron's Amarillo Metro Area alone. The service area of the Amarillo FM extends well beyond the Metro and brings Morris' radio stations (and the colocated newspaper) into competition with a substantially larger number of media voices. The Arbitron "Total Survey Area," or TSA, which provides one definition of the broader geographic market in which KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM compete, 41 includes at least twenty-seven more radio stations, twenty-two additional cable systems and many more alternative sources of news, information and advertising availabilities. The AM service area extends farther still, and increases the number of competitors exponentially.<sup>42</sup> The Amarillo media listings also include several "on-line" Internet services, periodicals, and other alternative media that provide still further competition for the Morris radio stations and the daily newspaper in various segments of their respective markets. A full range of comparable alternatives exist in Topeka and, indeed, in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> The Amarillo Metro includes Potter and Randall Counties. The TSA includes an additional 26 counties in Texas, two in New Mexico, and one in Oklahoma. The Arbitron TSA corresponds generally, but not exactly, to Nielsen's Amarillo DMA, which is used for television ratings purposes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> While more powerful radio stations are able to serve larger areas, they inevitably face greater competition from a larger number of broadcast, print, and other providers. Accordingly, the Commission should avoid any attempt to "weight" the facilities involved in a market analysis. The key consideration in determining the level of diversity and competition in a market is the availability, not the current effectiveness, of alternative media outlets.

virtually every market nationwide.

In fact, Morris' Amarillo media outlets have experienced a steady decline in advertising market share, as a result of competition from other media sources and the recent downward trend in the economy. According to an independent analysis conducted by Miller, Kaplan, Arase & Co., Certified Public Accountants, the combined market share of KGNC(AM) and –FM has declined 13.4 percent since 1997. This loss in market share demonstrates that, far from existing as a "giant" in the Amarillo advertising market, Morris has been hard hit by competition from other media outlets and the recent downward trend in the United States' economy. 43

The foregoing analysis demonstrates that even in smaller markets, daily newspaper publishers and radio broadcasters such as Morris today face extensive competition from a wide variety of established and emerging information providers, the great majority of which are not limited to a single outlet, but are free to operate on a multichannel or multimedia basis. The enormous growth that has taken place over the past two decades in the number and variety of competing advertising outlets and information providers in virtually every market has eviscerated any concern that allowing newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership will cause any appreciable harm to competition or diversity. As the Topeka and Amarillo examples clearly

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> As discussed more fully in the NAA's comments, current economic conditions have exacerbated the increasingly bleak financial situation faced by newspaper publishers and broadcasting companies in today's vigorously competitive marketplace. As NAA demonstrates, relief from the outmoded newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule would provide a critical boost to the newspaper and broadcast industries. <u>See NAA Comments</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> For example, radio station owners who do not also have newspaper interests may own as many as eight stations in a market under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and the Commission's current rules. A number of Morris' radio competitors already own such "expanded complements" of stations. While cable operators may not own local television stations, they are otherwise free to create "clusters" of systems and are able to offer multiple channels of programming and tap multiple revenue streams. Other non-broadcast competitors generally are free of any cross-ownership limitations.

demonstrate, whatever merit the ban on co-ownership might have had when it was adopted in 1975, it cannot be seriously questioned that the FCC's original justification for the restriction has been eliminated. Accordingly, Morris urges the Commission to repeal the outmoded newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule.

# V. THE NEWSPAPER/BROADCAST CROSS-OWNERSHIP RULE UNREASONABLY DISCRIMINATES AGAINST NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS AND BROADCASTERS AND SHOULD BE ELIMINATED

By singling out newspaper publishers and broadcast station owners, the FCC irrationally prevents the public from enjoying the enhanced news and information services that Morris and similar media companies could offer in the rule's absence. The newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership prohibition was adopted in 1975 as part of a series of restrictions on local ownership of media outlets, all of which were aimed at preventing ownership of more than one media outlet in a given market. Thus, when it considered the constitutionality of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership restriction over twenty years ago, the Supreme Court found it significant that "the regulations treat newspaper owners in essentially the same fashion as other owners of the major media of mass communications were already treated under the Commission's multiple ownership rules."

In today's regulatory environment, in contrast, with the conspicuous exception of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule, virtually every major limitation on local broadcast media ownership has been substantially relaxed or eliminated based upon the Commission's recognition of the benefits of common ownership.<sup>47</sup> The newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> See generally 1975 Multiple Ownership Report, 50 FCC 2d 1046.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> FCC v. NCCB, 436 U.S. at 801.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> For example, the Commission recently relaxed the "one-to-a-market" rule and the "duopoly"

rule thus stands out as an anachronism not only in a competitive environment, but also a regulatory environment, that is markedly different from that in which it was adopted. Rather than being treated in the same fashion as other media owners today, newspaper publishers and broadcast station owners are now virtually unique among entities that may not realize the substantial efficiencies and public interest benefits inherent in cross-ownership. While it has significantly relaxed or eliminated its other outdated cross-ownership restrictions, the FCC has, without justification, remained inflexible to date regarding newspaper/broadcast combinations. Where multiple common ownership is permitted among virtually all other media, it is patently arbitrary and discriminatory to continue to prohibit newspaper publishers from acquiring interests in even a single radio or television station in the same local market.

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rule to permit a single entity to own a greater number of broadcast stations than was permitted under the FCC's prior rules. Significantly, common ownership of two television stations and a single radio station is now permitted in any market, regardless of the number of voices present. See Local Television Ownership Order, 14 FCC Rcd at 12947. Similarly, a single entity may now own two local television stations—which the FCC itself has identified as the most directly significant media voices in the local marketplace—in larger markets, and in many cases may also acquire multiple radio outlets. See id. at 12907-08, 12932-34. Local radio ownership limitations have also been significantly relaxed pursuant to the 1996 Act and in subsequent Commission proceedings. See 1996 Act § 202(b). Moreover, most other competitors in today's media marketplace, including cable operators and programmers, DBS providers, Internet service providers, and magazine publishers, generally operate free from restrictions on their ability to acquire newspapers or broadcast outlets.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> See 1998 Biennial Review Report, 15 FCC Rcd at 11157 (Separate Statement of Commissioner Michael K. Powell) (discussing the anomaly between the television duopoly rule and the newspaper/broadcast rule and stating that "I do not see why newspaper/broadcast combinations could not be regulated in the same way.").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> Should the Commission determine, notwithstanding the overwhelming evidence to the contrary, that some type of restriction on newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership remains necessary, it should adopt a broad and flexible waiver policy which takes into account the abundant diversity and strong competition present among information providers and advertising outlets in markets of every size, and which allows newspaper publishers and broadcast station licensees to bring the acknowledged benefits of common ownership to their readers and viewers. Moreover, any such policy should look favorably upon preserving grandfathered newspaper/broadcast combinations and any other combinations with a history of common

#### **CONCLUSION**

Whatever the validity of the Commission's justification at the time it adopted the restriction on newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership, it is clear that the rule is no longer necessary in the public interest. The dramatic changes that have occurred in the last quarter-century, detailed above and in previous submissions by Morris and numerous other parties in this and related proceedings, have rendered it impossible for the FCC to justify maintenance of this antiquated rule. Accordingly, the Commission should promptly eliminate the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule and free newspaper publishers and broadcasters to deliver to the public the enhanced service that can be generated by the synergies and efficiencies that result from common ownership.

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ownership and operation in the public interest, and should permit all applicants to demonstrate, on a case-by-case basis, that specific programming and other public interest benefits would result from common ownership.

#### **DECLARATION OF CRAIG COLBOCH**

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Radio, LLC, the licensee of WIBW(AM) and WIBW-FM, Topeka, Kansas. I assisted in the preparation of and have reviewed the accompanying Comments of Morris Communications

Corporation.

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief formed after reasonably inquiry, the information contained therein regarding WIBW(AM), WIBW-FM, and the <u>Topeka Capital-Journal</u> is true and accurate.

Craig Colboch

December \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2001.

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LLC, the licensee of KGNC(AM) and KGNC-FM, Amarillo, Texas. I assisted in the preparation

of and have reviewed the accompanying Comments of Morris Communications Corporation.

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Dan Gorman

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December <u>3</u>, 2001.

### APPENDIX A Topeka Market Information

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# COMPETING INFORMATION PROVIDERS IN THE TOPEKA, KANSAS AREA

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#### TOPEKA METRO AREA

SHAWNEE	COUNTY	(Tomoles)
DHAMNEE	COUNTY	(Topeka)

Radio:	(Home)	KJTY-FM	KDVV-FM	WIBW-FM
		KMAJ-FM	KTOP	KQTP-FM
		KMAJ (AM)	KWIC-FM	KTPK-FM
			WIBW	

Radio: (Others with listening reported in Topeka Arbitron, Fall 1996)

KBEQ-FM	KCFX-FM	KCIY-FM
KCMO	KCMO-FM	KLTH-FM
KFKF-FM	KLZR-FM	KMBX
KMXV-FM	KPRS-FM	KQRC-FM
KUDL-FM	KXBZ-FM	KXTR-FM
KYYS-FM	WDAF	

Television: KSNT

KTKA KTWU WIBW KTMJ WBKS

Newspapers: The Topeka Capital Journal - daily

El Hispano Bilingual The Kansas Christian

The Sherwood Gazette - monthly Topeka Metro News - semi-weekly

The Sentinel - bi-weekly

Cable: Galaxy Cablevision

TCI of Kansas

Cable-Tel of Topeka

Direct Mail: Coupon Magazine of Kansas

S & J Midwest Ad-Venture

Consolidated Mailing Corp.

Data Documents, Inc.

DataMail Inc.

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DTWO Marketing Communications

Ready Mail Inc. The Home Shopper

Kansas Stockman & Kansas Farmer

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages

Woodward Publications

McLeod Publishing

Directories: The Polk Directory

Topeka Parent & Child Guide Book

Outdoor: Martin Outdoor Advertising

Boyles Portable Sign Rentals

RJ Outdoor

#### OSAGE COUNTY (OSAGE CITY, LYNDON)

Radio: KANS-FM

Newspapers: Osage County Chronicle - weekly

Cable: Cablevision (Osage City/Lyndon)

Yellow Pages: Sprint Yellow Pages (Osage City)

#### JACKSON COUNTY (HOLTON, WETMORE)

Newspapers: Holton Recorder - weekly

Cable: CLR Video

Yellow Pages: Sprint (Holton)

#### WABAUNSEE COUNTY (ESKRIDGE)

Newspapers: Flint Hills Independent - weekly

Cable: Galaxy Cablevision

TCI of Kansas

# JEFFERSON COUNTY (VALLEY FALLS, OSKALOOSA)

Newspapers: Valley Falls Vindicator - weekly

Oskaloosa Independent - weekly

Cable: CLR Video

Yellow Pages: Sprint (Oskaloosa)

## TOPEKA DMA

(DMA includes the Topeka Metro Area plus the following):

#### COFFEY COUNTY (GRIDLEY, BURLINGTON)

Radio:

KSNP-FM (Burlington)

Cable:

U.S. Cable DBA/Cablevision

Newspapers:

Coffey County This Week - weekly

Coffey County Today - weekly

Gridley Gleam - weekly

Yellow Pages: Sprint Yellow Pages (Burlington)

#### LYON COUNTY (EMPORIA)

Radio:

KFFX-FM KVOE-FM

KGZF-FM

KNGM-FM

KVOE-AM

KANS-FM

Newspapers:

Emporia Gazette - daily

The Bulletin

Cable:

Classic Cable

Galaxy Cablevision

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Emporia)

Outdoor:

Martin Outdoor Advertising

#### MORRIS COUNTY (COUNCIL GROVE, WHITE CITY)

Newspapers:

Council Grove Republican - daily

Prairie Post, White City - weekly

Cable:

Community Antenna Systems, Inc.

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# GEARY COUNTY (JUNCTION CITY)

Radio:

KJCK-AM

KJCK-FM

Newspapers:

Junction City Daily Union - daily

Ft. Riley Post - weekly

Direct Mail:

Direct Results (Junction City)

Yellow Pages: Sprint (Junction City)

Outdoor:

Gateway Outdoor Advertising (Junction City)

Heartland Signs (Junction City)

Thomas Sign Advertising (Junction City)

# CLAY COUNTY (CLAY CENTER)

Radio:

KCLY-FM

KFRM-AM

Newspapers:

Clay Center Dispatch - daily

Cable:

Cablecom of Clay Center

#### RILEY COUNTY (MANHATTAN)

Radio:

KHCA-FM (Wamego) KXBZ-FM

KKSU-AM

KQLA-FM

KMAN-AM

KSDB-FM

KMKF-FM

Television:

KTMJ (Junction City)

Newspapers:

The Daily Union - daily

High Plains Journal

Keynotes for Senior Kansans

Manhattan Free Press

The Manhattan Mercury - daily The Riley Countian - weekly

The Kansas State Collegian - daily

Grass & Grain Pig Tales

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Cable:

Manhattan Cable TV Services, Inc.

Cencom Cable of Riley Junction City Television

Direct Mail:

SWBYP's Special Delivery (Manhattan)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Manhattan)

Outdoor:

Thomas Sign Advertising (Manhattan)

POTTAWATOMIE (WAMEGO, WESTMORELAND, ONAGA, ST. MARYS)

Radio:

KHCA-FM (Wamego)

Newspapers:

Onaga Herald - weekly St. Marys Star - weekly

Wamego Smoke Signal - weekly

Wamego Times - weekly

Westmoreland Recorder - weekly

Cable:

Wamego Cablevision & CLR Video

Yellow Pages: Sprint (St. Marys)

MARSHALL COUNTY (MARYSVILLE, FRANKFORT, WATERVILLE)

Radio:

KNDY-AM (Marysville)

KNDY-FM (Marysville)

Newspapers:

Marysville Advocate - weekly

Frankfort Area News - weekly

The Telegraph, Waterville - weekly

Cable:

TCI Cable

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Marysville)

NEMAHA COUNTY (SABETHA, SENECA, CENTRALIA, MARYSVILLE)

Radio:

KMZA-FM (Seneca)

Newspapers: Sabetha Herald - weekly

Seneca Courier-Tribune- weekly

Nemaha County Journal Leader, Centralia

Cable: Beatrice Cable TV (Marysville)

Galaxy Cablevision (Seneca & Sabetha)

Washington Cable TV, Inc.

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Sabetha, Seneca, and

Marysville)

# WIBW-FM PRIMARY CONTOUR

(The WIBW-FM Primary Contour includes Topeka Metro Area, DMA, & also the following):

#### DOUGLAS COUNTY (LAWRENCE)

Radio:

KANU-FM

KLWN-AM

KJHK-FM

KLZR-FM

Television:

KMCI

Newspapers:

Lawrence Journal-World - daily

Eudora News - weekly High Plains Journal

The Ledger The Note

Kansas University Daily Kansan - daily

Pitch Weekly

Cable:

Sunflower Cablevision

Perry Cablevision

Direct Mail:

Consolidated Mailing Corp. (Lawrence)

Kansas Key Press (Lawrence) Knight Enterprises (Lawrence)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Lawrence)

Directories:

Woodward Publications, Inc. (Lawrence)

Outdoor:

Martin Outdoor Advertising (Lawrence)

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FRANKLIN COUNTY (OTTAWA)

Radio:

KOFO-AM

Newspapers:

Ottawa Herald - daily

Ottawa Times - weekly

Cable:

Pittsburg Cable TV Galaxy Cablevision

Communications Services

ATCHISON COUNTY (ATCHISON)

Radio:

KAIR-AM

KAIR-FM

Newspapers:

Atchison Daily Globe - daily

Cable:

Fanch Cablevision

CLAY COUNTY (CLAY CENTER)

Radio:

KCLY-FM

Newspapers:

Clay Center Dispatch - daily

Cable:

Cablecom of Clay Center

Galaxy Cablevision

DICKINSON COUNTY (ABILENE)

Radio:

KABI-AM

KSAH-FM

Newspapers:

Abilene Reflector-Chronicle - daily

Chapman Advertiser & Enterprize Journal-weekly

Cable:

Cablecom of Abilene

Galaxy Cablecom

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Abilene)

# CHASE COUNTY

Newspapers:

Chase County Leader-News,

Cottonwood Falls - weekly

Cable:

Tri Star Cable, Inc.

#### WIBW (AM) CONTOUR DAYTIME COVERAGE

# WYANDOTTE COUNTY (BONNER SPRINGS, K.C.)

Newspapers:

K.C. Record - weekly

Bonner Springs Chieftain - weekly

K.C. Kansan -

Wyandotte West - semi-weekly

Wyandotte Echo - weekly

Cable:

Galaxy Cablevision
American Cablevision

Direct Mail:

ADVO, Inc.

All Packaging Company

American Lithographics, Inc.

Barkley and Evergreen

Bleich and White Mailing Service

Cha Le Computer Services

City Distributors

Color Works

Computer Mailing, Inc.
Consolidated Mailing Corp.
Contacts Influential America
Corporate Output Services
Courtney Business Assistance

D & O Distributing

Danielle, McKenzie, and Alexander

Data Mail

Direct Data Services
Direct Mail Strategies
Direct Marketing Resources
Dovetail Partner Promotions
Duffy Creative Services
Executive Image Printing
Felco Printing and Mailing

Global Promotional Mailings

Henry Wurst, Inc.

Impact Direct Marketing Inquest International

KCS Direct Mail

Kansas City Automated Mail, Inc.

Lion Share Marketing, Inc.

List Emporium, Inc.

List Mart, Inc. Lund Mark Advertising and Design Mach 1 Marketing Mail and More Mail Print, Inc. Mail Sort, Inc. Mailing Clearing House Marketing Communications, Inc. Marketing Technologies Marketshare Publications Merrigan and Company Meyer Partners Midwest Direct Marketing, Inc. Midwest Mailing, Inc. Mission Direct Marketing Money Mailer of Mid America Money Mailer of North Jackson County Money Mailer of North Johnson County Money Mailer of South Johnson County Neff Printing, Inc. Neighborhood Advertising OMNI Media The Personal Marketing Company Personalized Envelope Typing Service Precision Communications Quality Mail Marketing Ryan Direct Ryan/Whitenton Direct Response J. Schmid & Associates Southwest Publishing and Mailing Yellow Pages Sales Office Staley Marketing Group Target Direct Marketing G. Thomas and Associates Town Planner Calendar Diane Turner and Associates Unicorn Stock Photo Library Valentine-Radford Direct Val-Pak Coupons ValuMail Wilson Direct Source Wolfe Direct

Directories:

Fred Arbanas, Inc.
B V & K Direct, Inc.
Benchmark Publications
Berstein-Rein Advertising
Berry-Sprint Publishing

Black Pages

Blue Valley Publications

Christenson, Barclay, and Shaw, Inc.

Cole Information Services Community Connection Consolidated Directories

Day Advertising

Directory Resource Consultants

GTE Directories

Heart of America Life Pages Kansas City Golf Magazine Ketchum Directory Advertising

LaLista Latina Hispanic Business Directory

National Yellow Page Service

Neighborhood Networks Polk City Directories

Sprint Publishing and Advertising

TMP Worldwide
TV FanFare

Thomas Register of American Manufacturing

VMS Directory Services Valentine-Radford, Inc.

WCS Publishing

Yellow Page Quick Index

Outdoors:

A-AA Portable Sign Rental

Ad Trend Giant Balloons and Searchlights

Balloon Events

Craig Outdoor Advertising Gannett Outdoor Co. of K.C.

Herron and Company Impact Imaging, Inc.

Martin Outdoor Advertising Metromedia Technologies Missouri Poster and Banner Odegard Outdoor Advertising

Olson Outdoor, Inc. Outdoor Sales Office

Premiere Outdoor Advertising

3M Outdoor Advertising

Wilson Curtiss Outdoor Advertising

The Computer User National Publishing Programs for the Arts

Recognition Communications

Outdoor Advertising (LAFAYETTE CO.,

KANSAS CITY, MO.)

Rinne Sign Company (LAFAYETTE CO.,

KANSAS CITY, MO.)

Brooks Publishing Company

Direct to You The Essential Book

Flyer Distribution Center

Granny's Coupon
Incredicard Limited
The Shoppers Edge

Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages

Town Planner Calendar/Granny's Coupons

Val-Pak of Kansas City

#### JOHNSON COUNTY (K.C.)

Newspapers: College Blvd. News - weekly

Olathe Daily News - daily
K.C. Jewish Chronicle - weekly
Shawnee Journal Herald - weekly
Sun Newspapers - semi-weekly
Spring Hill New Era - weekly

Gardner News - weekly

Cable:

TCI of Overland Park

Jones Intercable

Cablevision (Excelsior Springs)

American Cablevision

Classic Cable

## LEAVENWORTH COUNTY (LEAVENWORTH)

Radio:

KKLO-AM .

Newspapers:

Leavenworth Times - daily Basehor Sentinel - weekly

Tonganoxie Mirror - weekly

Cable:

Galaxy Cablevision

American Cablevision

Direct Mail:

Chronicle Shopper (Leavenworth)

Lansing Publisher, Inc.

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages (Leavenworth)

Directories: Consolidated Mailing Corp. (Leavenworth)

Outdoor:

Robinson Outdoor Advertising (Leavenworth)

#### WOODSON COUNTY (YATES CENTER)

Newspapers:

Yates Center News - weekly

Cable:

Communications Sources, Inc.

#### GREENWOOD COUNTY (EUREKA)

Radio:

KOTE-FM

Newspapers:

Eureka Herald - weekly Madison News - weekly

# MIAMI COUNTY (LOUISBURG, OSAWATOMIE)

Newspapers:

Louisburg Herald-weekly

Miami County Republic - semi-weekly

Osawatomie Graphic - weekly

Cable:

Classic Cable

#### LINN COUNTY (PLEASANTON, PLAINVILLE)

Newspapers:

Linn County News, Pleasanton - weekly

Cable:

Classic Cable (Plainville)

Regional Cable TV

## ALLEN COUNTY (IOLA, HUMBOLDT)

Radio:

KALN-AM (Iola)

KIKS-FM (Iola)

Newspapers:

Iola Register - daily

Humboldt Union - daily

Cable:

Communications Services, Inc.

TCI of Kansas (Humboldt)

# BUTLER COUNTY (EL DORADO, ANDOVER, AUGUSTA, ROSE HILL)

Radio:

KSRX-AM

KTLK-FM °

Newspapers:

El Dorado Times - daily

Andover Journal Advocate - weekly Augusta Daily Gazette - daily Rose Hill Reporter - weekly

Cable:

Multimedia Cablevision

#### MARION COUNTY (HILLSBORO, PEABODY)

Radio:

KJRG-AM

KOEZ-FM

Newspapers:

Hillsboro Star - weekly

Marion County Record - weekly Peabody Gazette Bulletin - weekly

Cable:

Galaxy Cablevision (Marion)

Multimedia Cablevision

# WASHINGTON COUNTY (LINN, HANOVER, CLIFTON)

Newspapers:

Hanover News - weekly

Washington County News - weekly

Linn-Palmer News - weekly Clifton News Tribune - weekly

Cable:

Regional Cable TV Tri Star Cable

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Washington)

OTTAWA COUNTY (MINNEAPOLIS, DELPHOS)

Radio:

KJLS-FM

Newspapers:

Delphos Republican - weekly Minneapolis Messenger - weekly

Cable:

Galaxy Cablevision

BROWN COUNTY (HIAWATHA, HORTON, FAIRVIEW)

Radio:

KNZA-FM (Hiawatha)

Newspapers:

Hiawatha Daily World - weekly

Everest World - weekly

Fairview Enterprise - weekly Horton Headlight - weekly

Cable:

Fallon Cablevision

CLR Video

Yellow Pages: Sprint (Hiawatha)

REPUBLIC COUNTY (BELLEVILLE, COURTLAND, SCANDIA)

Radio:

KREP-FM (Belleville)

Newspapers:

Belleville Telescope - weekly

Belleville Farmer Stockman - weekly

Scandia Journal - weekly

Courtland Journal-Empire - weekly

Cable:

Belleville Comm. Courtland Cable TV Galaxy Cablevision

# CLOUD COUNTY (CONCORDIA)

Radio:

KNCK-AM KCKS-FM KVCO-FM

Newspapers:

Clyde Republican - weekly

Concordia Blade Empire - daily

Glasco Sun - weekly

Miltonvale Record - weekly

Cable:

Cablecom of Concordia

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Concordia)

# MITCHELL COUNTY (BELOIT, CAWKER CITY)

Radio:

KVSV-AM

KVSV-FM

Newspapers:

Beloit Daily Call & Post - daily

Cawker City Ledger - weekly

Cable:

Cablecom of Beloit

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Beloit)

## SEDGWICK COUNTY (WICHITA, AND WICHITA AREA)

Radio:

KFDI-AM KOAM-AM KFDI-FM KICT-FM KKRD-FM KNSS-AM KRZZ-FM KYQQ-FM KSGL-AM KCFN-FM KZSN-AM KDGS-FM KIBN-FM KZSN-FM KTLI-FM KLLS-FM KFH-AM KRBB-FM KMUW-FM KXLK-FM KEYN-FM KANR-FM

Television:

**KPTS KSAS** KSMI

KSNW KWCH

KAKE

Cable:

Multimedia Cablevision

Newspapers:

American Gas & Oil Reporter Phoenix Publications Ark Valley News - weekly

Active Aging -

Andover Journal Advocate - weekly

Augusta Daily News - daily

Bargain Hunters -

Belle Plaine News - weekly

Community Voice - The Daily Reporter -

The Wichita Eagle - daily

East Wichita News -

Ebony Shopper and News - El Dorado Times - daily

El Perico -

Haysville Times -

Mulvane News - semi-weekly

Ngay Nay -OK Times

Old Town Gazette

Pennypower Shopping News -

Plaindealer Newspaper -

Professional Singles Journal -

The Prospector -

Rose Hill Reporter - weekly

Sedgwick County Competitor -

Southern Life -

Town Connection -

Sunflower Monitor -

Thompson & Associates -

Times Sentinel - weekly

Westside Story -

White Buffalo Gazette

Wichita Business Journal - weekly

Wichita Chronicle -

Wichita Times -

Wichita State Sunflower -

Kansas Newman Vantage -

Mennonite Weekly Review -

Thrifty Farmer -

Wichita Traveler Magazine -

Wichita Hi-Lighter -

Wichita Family Ties -

Short Wing Piper News -Kansas Bowling News -The Catholic Advance -The Triangle Magazine -

Direct Mail:

Aces of Kansas Ad-Mail Marketing

American Advertising, Inc.

Belle Plaine News & Oxford Register

Business Strategies Group, Inc. Contemporary Communications

Cornerstone Advertising

Dial-a-Waiter

Cornerstone Advertising Direct Mail Printers Handy Mailing Service

Home Town Mailer

Mail Marketing Group, Inc.

Mass Media, Inc. Money Mailers East Office Aide, Inc.

Penny Power Shopping News, Inc.

Postal Presort, Inc.

Power Saver

Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages Super Values Coupon Clipper

Targeted Ads

Typed Letters Corporation Wichita ValuMail Magazine Your Direct Mail Advertising

Ad Associates Agency Christian Yellow Pages Feist Publications

Prarie Publishers

Rose Industrial Services

Penny Power Shoppers News, Inc.

Shoppers Ad-Vantage

Shopper's Guide

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell

Feist Publications
Polk Directories

Outdoor:

Adverson Outdoor Advertising Claude Federal Sign & Awning

Dowrcy Outdoor Advertising Company

Ed Dunn and Sons Signs, Inc. Mobile Ads Porta-Ad of Wichita Poster Company Prestige Rental Signs A Plus Graphics Absolutely Unlimited Aces of Kansas Ad Ventures Advertising Media Air Capitol Advertising Arts Advertising Items Ash-Craft Awards & Engraving Balloon World, Inc. Bob Ewing Advertising Jack Brown & Associates Business Unlimited CB Specialties Cochranis Enterprises Corporate Advertising Products Country Accents Creative Awards & Screen Printing David Bolduc Ad Specialties DeWitt Manufacturing Edison Promotional Advertising Co. Express Designs of Town West Frontier International Bob Gray Company Great American Incentives Hamilton Specialty Advertising Sam Howell Enterprises K & L Specialty Advertising **KISCO** KNIPP's Mobile Ads Premium Promotions George Roehr & Company S.F. Barrier, LTD Single Source Swag, Inc. Tangible Advertising Telesources US Logo Apparel

## SALINE COUNTY (SALINA)

Radio: KSAL-AM

KILS-FM KYEZ-FM KQNS-FM KINA-AM KSKG-FM KCVS-FM KZBZ-FM

Newspapers:

Buyers Guide -Community Line -

Salina Journal - daily

Cable:

TCI of Kansas, Inc.

Direct Mail: Marketaide Services, Inc. (Salina)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages (Salina)

Outdoor:

Gateway Outdoor Advertising Company,

Inc. (Salina)

# MCPHERSON COUNTY (MCPHERSON, LINDSBORG)

Radio:

KBBE-FM

KNGL-AM

Newspapers:

Lindsborg News-Record - weekly

Marquette Tribune - weekly McPherson Sentinel - daily

Canton Pilot - weekly

Ledger, Moundridge - weekly

Cable:

Multimedia Cablevision of McPherson

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (McPherson)

# RENO COUNTY (HUTCHINSON)

Radio:

KGLS-FM KZSN-FM KHCC-FM KHUT-FM KGGG-FM KSKU-FM

KWBW-AM

Newspapers:

The Bee, Inc.

The Hutchinson News - daily

Turon Record - weekly

Ninnescah Valley News, Pretty Prairie

Cable:

Multimedia Cablevision of Hutchinson

Direct Mail:

K & J's Coupons of America (Hutchinson)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages (Hutchinson)

Directories: Polk & Co.

#### ELLIS COUNTY (HAYS)

Radio:

KAYS-AM

KRPD-AM

KHAZ-FM

KZLS-AM

KJLS-FM

Television:

KBSH-TV

Newspapers:

Ellis County Star - weekly Hays Daily News - daily

Ellis Review - weekly

Cable:

Classic Cable

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages (Hays)

Outdoor:

Sign & Designs (Hays)

## RUSSELL COUNTY (RUSSELL)

Radio:

KFNF-FM (Oberlin)

KJLS-FM KZLS-FM

KRSL-AM KCAY-FM

Newspapers:

Russell Daily News - semi-weekly

Lucas-Sylvan News - weekly Russell Record - semi-weekly

Cable:

Eagle Communications, Inc.

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## PHILLIPS COUNTY (PHILLIPSBURG)

Radio:

KKAN-AM KQMA-FM

Newspapers:

Phillips County Review - weekly

Logan Republican - weekly Heartland Herald-Echo -

Cable:

Classic Cable

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Phillipsburg/Norton)

Outdoor:

Sign Biz (Phillipsburg/Norton)

#### HARVEY COUNTY (NEWTON)

Radio:

KJRG-AM KOEZ-FM KBCV-FM

Newspapers:

Harvey County Independent - weekly

Herald of His Coming Newton Kansan - daily Heston Record - weekly

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Newton)

# LABETTE COUNTY (PARSONS)

Radio:

KLKC-AM

KLKC-FM

Newspapers:

Altamont Journal - weekly

Chetopa Advance - weekly

Edna Sun - weekly

The Parsons News - weekly

Parsons Sun - daily

Oswego Independent Observer - weekly

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Parsons)

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CRAWFORD COUNTY (PITTSBURG)

Radio:

KKOW-AM

KRPS-FM

KKOW-FM

KSEK-FM

KWXD-FM

Television:

KOAM

Newspapers:

Mulberry Advance - weekly

Girard Press - weekly

Pittsburg Morning Sun - daily

BOURBON COUNTY (FT. SCOTT)

Radio:

KMDO-AM

KOMB-FM KVCY-FM

Newspapers:

Ft. Scott Tribune - daily

CHEROKEE COUNTY (COLUMBUS)

Newspapers:

Columbus Daily Advocate - daily

Galena Sentinel Times - weekly

Baxter Springs Citizen - semi-weekly

NEOSHO COUNTY (CHANUTE)

Radio:

KKOY-AM

KKOY-FM

Newspapers:

Chanute Tribune - daily

Erie Record - weekly Four County Shopper -

Cable:

Cablevision of Chanute

WILSON COUNTY (NEODESHA)

Newspapers:

Neodesha Derrick - weekly

Wilson Co. Citizen - semi-weekly

Cable:

Cablevision of Neodesha

# MONTGOMERY COUNTY (INDEPENDENCE)

Radio:

KIND-AM

KIND-FM

Newspapers:

Caney Chronicle - weekly

Cherryvale Chronicle - weekly Coffeyville Journal - daily

Independence Daily Reports - daily

Independence News - weekly

Good News

Cable:

Cablevision of Independence

# ELK COUNTY

Newspapers:

Elk Co. Citizen

Advance News, Howard

## CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY (SEDAN)

Newspapers:

Sedan Times-Star - weekly

Cedarvale Lookout

## COWLEY COUNTY (WINFIELD, ARKANSAS CITY)

Radio:

KSOK-AM KSOK-FM

KAZY-FM

Newspapers:

Winfield Daily Courier - daily

Cowley Co. Reporter, Burden - weekly Arkansas City Daily Traveler - daily

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Arkansas City & Winfield)

#### SUMNER COUNTY (WELLINGTON, MULVANE, BELLE PLAINE)

Radio:

KLEY-AM KWME-FM

Newspapers:

Conway Springs Star - weekly Mulvane News - semi-weekly Belle Blaine News - weekly Wellington Daily News - daily Oxford Register - weekly Caldwell Messenger - weekly South Haven New Era - weekly

Cable:

Clearwater Cable Vision, Inc.

# LINCOLN COUNTY

Newspapers:

Lincoln Co. Sentinel - weekly

#### ELLSWORTH COUNTY (ELLSWORTH)

Newspapers:

Wilson World - weekly

Ellsworth Reporter - weekly

#### RICE COUNTY (LYONS, STERLING)

Newspapers:

Lyons Daily News - daily

Rice Co. Monitor-Journal, Little River-weekly

Sterling Ks. Bulletin - weekly

Cable:

Multimedia Cablevision, Inc.

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Lyons)

#### KINGMAN COUNTY

Newspapers:

Cunningham Courier - weekly

Kingman Journal - weekly

Kingman Leader-Courier - weekly

Norwich News - weekly

# HARPER COUNTY (HARPER, ANTHONY)

Newspapers:

Harper Advocate - weekly

Attica Independent - weekly

Anthony Republican

#### JEWELL COUNTY

Newspapers:

Jewell Co. Post, Mankato - weekly

## SMITH COUNTY (SMITH CENTER)

Newspapers:

Lebanon Times - weekly

Smith Co. Pioneer, Smith Center - weekly

#### OSBORNE COUNTY

Newspapers:

Downs News - weekly

Osborne Co. Farmer - weekly

# ROOKS COUNTY

Newspapers:

Stockton Sentinel - weekly

Plainville Times - weekly

## GRAHAM COUNTY (HILL CITY)

Newspapers:

Hill City Times - weekly

# TREGO COUNTY (WAKEENEY)

Newspapers: Western Ks. World, Wakeeney - weekly

# BARTON COUNTY (GREAT BEND)

Radio:

KHOK-FM

KVGB-FM

KVGB-AM

KZLS-FM

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Great Bend)

RUSH COUNTY (LACROSSE)

Newspapers: Rush Co. News, LaCrosse - weekly

NESS COUNTY (NESS CITY)

Newspaper: Ness Co. News - weekly

PAWNEE COUNTY

Radio: KANS-AM

KGTR-FM

Newspapers: Larned Tiller & Toiler - daily

STAFFORD COUNTY

Newspapers: St. John News - weekly

Stafford Courier - weekly

EDWARDS COUNTY

Newspapers: Edwards Co. Sentinel - weekly

Kinsley Graphic

KIOWA COUNTY

Newspapers: Kiowa Co. Signal, Greensburg - weekly

Merchants Directory, Mullinville - weekly

PRATT COUNTY

Radio: KWLS-AM

Newspapers: Pratt Tribune - daily

# BARBER COUNTY

Newspapers:

Barber Co. Index, Medicine Lodge - weekly

Gyp Hill Premiere, Medicine Lodge - weekly

Kiowa News - weekly

# DONIPHAN COUNTY

Newspapers:

Wathena Times

Highland Vivette
Kansas Chief (Troy)

Cable:

Falcon Cablevision

CLR Video

#### IOWA

FREEMONT COUNTY, IOWA (SHENANDOAH, IOWA)

Radio:

KMA-AM

KYFR-AM

Newspapers:

Valley News Today & Trader

#### PAGE COUNTY, IOWA (CLARINDA, IOWA)

Radio:

KKBZ-FM

Newspapers:

Herald-Journal

Valley News Today

#### POTTAWATTAMIE COUNTY, IOWA (COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA)

Radio:

KIWR-FM

KLNG-AM

KQKQ-FM

Television:

KBIN

Newspapers:

Bulletin Nonpareil

Omaha World-Herald - daily

Council Bluffs Nonpareil Office Gazette

Glenwood Opinion Tribune Thrify Nickel Want Ads

Cablevision:

SATV SVS

TCI of Council Bluffs

Direct Mail: Advertising Distributors, Inc./Source

Direct (Council Bluffs) The Bulletin (Council Bluffs) Laser One (Council Bluffs)

Midwest Printing (Council Bluffs)

Yellow Pages: U.S. West Direct (Council Bluffs)

# MISSOURI

#### CLAY, JACKSON, PLATTE COUNTIES, MISSOURI

#### KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

Radio: KBEQ-FM KCAZ-AM (Mission)

KCFX-FM (Harrisonville) Radio: KCCV-AM (Overland Park)

> KCMO-AM KCMO-FM

KCNW-AM (Fairway) KCTE-AM (Independence) KEXS-AM (Excelsior KCVR-FM

Springs) KFEZ-AM

KLJC-FM KKFI-FM KMBZ-AM KLTH-FM KMXV-FM KLTH-FM KPRS-FM KNHN-AM KPRS-FM KPRT-AM

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KQRC-FM (Leavenworth) KVOL-FM (K.C., KS.)

KXTR-FM KYYS-FM WDAF-AM KYYS-FM WHB-AM KCXL-AM KBEQ-FM KCAZ-AM

Television:

KCPT KSMO-TV
KCTV KYFC
KMBC-TV WDAF

KSHB-TV

Newspapers: Kansas City Star - daily

The Kansas City Kansan - weekly

K.C. Call - weekly

Attorney Research & Investigate Svs.

Basehor Sentinel

Belton & Grandview Shopper Belton-Raymore-Star-Herald

Bingo Bugle Newspaper
The Blue Springs Examiner

Bonner Springs-Edwardsville Chieftain

The Cass Gazette Chiefs Report College Blvd. News

College Bivd. News

The Daily Record & K.C. Daily News Press

Legal Publications
Discover Mid-America
Dispatch-Tribune

Dos Mundoz Bilingual Newspaper

The Downtown Monthly

East Side News

El West Side Shopper

Elbert-Alan Publishing Co., Inc.

The Examiner

Express

Gay & Lesbian News Telegraph

High Plains Journal

The Independence Times Press

Jackson County Advocate
Johnson's County Gazette

The Jonsey Newspaper
The Journal Herald

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K.C. Business Journal, Inc.

K.C. Call

K.C. Globe Newspaper

K.C. Hispanic News

K.C. Insurance Report K.C. Jewish Chronicle K.C. Weekend Report Kansas St. Globe The Labor Beacon Newspaper The Labor Times Leavenworth Chronicle Shopper Lee's Summit Journal The Legal Record of Johnson County Liberty Shopper News Liberty-Tribune Lotawana Express News Metro Voice Newspaper Missouri State Post National Catholic Reporter News Times The Northeast News Northland Business Ledger Northland News Olathe Daily News Olathe Sun Pennypincher Publications Pitch Weekly Platte County Gazette The Pony Express Quickfinder Publications Raymore Journal Raytown Dispatch-Tribune Raytown Post Newspaper The Record Newspaper Shopper News Publications Smithville Lake Democrat-Herald Southern Platte Co. Press County Sports Connection Sun Chronicle Newspapers Sun Newspapers The Edge Thrifty Nickel Want Ads Time for News, Inc. USA Today Wednesday Magazine Westport Reporter Wyandotte Echo Wyandotte West

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Alternative Cable Co., Inc.

American Cablevision

Budget Cable Co. Jones Intercable

TCI of Overland Park, Inc.

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ANDREW, BUCHANAN, AND DEKALB COUNTIES

Radio:

KKJO-FM

KSFT-AM

KFEQ-AM

KSJQ-FM

KGNM-AM

Television:

KQTV

KTAJ

Newspapers:

St. Joseph Examiner Buchanan County News

St. Joseph Daily Courier

St. Joseph Daily Courier - Court Paper

St. Joseph News Press St. Joseph News Press St. Joseph Telegraph

Cable:

St. Joseph Cablevision River Bluffs Rural Cable

PrimeStar

Direct Mail:

Ad-Venture (St. Joseph)

Consolidated Mailing Corp. (St. Joseph)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (St. Joseph)

Outdoor:

Whiteco Outdoor Advertising (St. Joseph)

#### CARROLL COUNTY

Radio:

KAOL-AM 1430

KMZO-FM 100.7

Newspapers:

Carrollton Daily Democrat

Cable:

Cablevision of Excelsion

# DAVIS COUNTY, MISSOURI

Cable:

Galaxy Cablevision

# PETTIS COUNTY MISSOURI (SEDALIA, MISSOURI)

Radio:

KDRO-AM

KSDL-FM KSIS-AM

Television: KMOS-TV

Newspapers:

Plainsman Weekly News

Cable:

Falcon Cable Systems

# VERNON COUNTY, MISSOURI (NEVADA, MISSOURI)

Radio:

KNEM-AM

KNMO-FM

Newspapers:

The Nevada News

Nevada Entertainment Weekly The Nevada Daily Mail-Herald

Cable:

TCI Cablevision of Mo.

# POTTAWATTAMIE COUNTY, IOWA; DOUGLAS COUNTY AND SARPY COUNTY NEBRASKA

Radio:

Omaha, Nebraska

KBBX-AM KEFM KEZO-FM KGDE

KCRO-AM KESY

**KFAB** KGOR-FM

KIOS-FM

KKAR

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KKCO-FM

KLNG Country Gospel

KOIL-AM

KOSR-AM

KOTD

KSKQ

KRRK KXKT-FM KVNO-FM WOW-FM

MA-WOW

Television:

KETV

**KMTV** 

KOLN/KGIN

**KPTM** KYNE

**KXVO** WOWT

Newspapers:

Omaha, Nebraska Newspapers

Air Pulse Newspapers

American Citizen Italian Press

Bellevue Leader

Catholic Voice Publishing Co.

Center Point Refurbishing

Council Bluffs Daily Nonparaeil

The Daily Record

Douglas County Post-Gazette

Gretna Guide & News Heartland Retailer

Midland Business Journal

New Horizons Nuestro Mundo

Omaha Business Journal The Omaha Shopper Omaha Star Newspaper Omaha World-Herald

The Reader

Thrifty Nickel Want Ads U.S.A. Newspaper, Inc.

U.S. West Direct

#### OMAHA, NEBRASKA

Magazines:

Nebraskaland Magazine

Nebraska Sports Magazine

Periodicals:

Omaha, Nebraska Periodicals

Alcoholic Beverage Newsletter, Inc.

Human Research Report

Omaha Magazine

Vance Livestock Publications

Cable:

Cox Communications, Inc. Douglas County Cablevision Harmon Cable Communications Horizons Unlimited Satellite TV

Metro-Com

TCI Cable of the Midlands

Direct Mail: A-1 Direct Marketing Services

(AHAMO)

A+ Associates, Inc. ASAP Mail Services, Inc.

Advantage Coupons

Advertising Distributors, Inc./Source Direct

American Business Information, Inc.

American Mail Service, Inc. Award Print & Mail Services

Blumenthal Cady Comms.

CSS Direct CAS, Inc.

Culver & Associates, Inc.

Dudycha, Inc. The Envelope

The Executive Club The Fisher Group

GPG Printing & Office Supplies Goodkind & Goodkind Direct, Inc.

Hill Design

Interstate Printing Co. Justin David Direct

Laser One

Mail America, Inc.

Mail Marketing Mapleview Press

Midwest Printing Services

N/BE Mail

The Omaha Printing Cos.

Print N Mail

Print Promotions Plus, Inc. Quick Mailing Services, Inc.

Val-Pak of Nebraska Ya ffe Printing Co.

Directories:

InHouse Marketing, Inc. McKernan & Associates, Inc.

Millard Rosenberg Nat'l Yellow Pages

Telecom USA Publishing Co.

U.S. West Direct

Outdoor:

Houck Motor Coach Advertising, Inc.

Imperial Outdoor Advertising

Princeton Bus Bench Adv.

3M Nat'l. Adv., Co.

Western Outdoor Advertising Company

#### LINCOLN, NEBRASKA (LANCASTER COUNTY)

Radio:

KEZG-FM KFBN-FM
KFGE-FM KFOR-AM
KFRX-FM KFOR-AM
KGDE-FM KHAT-AM
KIBZ-FM KHAT-AM
KLDZ-FM KMEM-AM
KLIN-AM KRNV-FM

KTGL-FM KZUM-FM

Television:

KOLN

Newspapers:

Associated Press
Mid-America Ag Net.

News Link

Universal Press Clipping Bureau

Daily Reporter

Lincoln Business Journal

Lincoln Journal Star Newspaper

Lincoln Kids Newspaper Neighborhood Extra

The News

Omaha World-Herald Circulation Services

KUCV-FM

Star City Sports Newspaper

Thrifty Nickel Want Ads Newspaper
University of Nebraska-Lincoln-Daily

Nebraskan

Voice News and Printing

Cable:

American Telecasting of Lincoln, Inc.

Cablevision

Galaxy Cablevision
VCI Cable - Beatrice

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Direct Mail:

Anderson Management Svcs., Inc.

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Action Direct

All Needs Computer & Mailing Services, Inc.

Anderson Management Services, Inc.

Applied Data Technology
Bankers Direct Marketing
Boomer's Printing Co.

Direct Media Marketing, Inc.

Eagle Quickprint & Copy

EZ Mail

Goldenrod Printing, Inc.
Labadie Communications, Inc.

Lincoln Journal Star

Lincolnland Printing & Specialities, Inc.

Metromail Corporation Nebraska Printing Center

Presort Limited
Response Marketing

Periodicals:

Fastline Publications
Huskers Illustrated
Nebraska Farmer Magazine

Strictly Business
U.S. Industrial News

Outdoor:

Ackerly Airport Advertising

Imperial Outdoor Advertising

Nebraska Logos, Inc.

Tomlinson Advertising, Inc.

## WASHINGTON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Blair

DODGE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Fremont Tribune Daily (Fremont)

Omaha World Herald

Cable:

Fremont Cablevision (Fremont)
Shay Satellite Systems (Fremont)

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COLFAX COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Schuyler Sun (Schuyler)

BUTLER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers: David City - Banner Press

PLATTE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Columbus Telegram (Columbus)

Cable:

Pawnee-Columbus Cable-TV

POLK COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Headlight Office (Stromsburg)

Polk County News (Osceola)

SEWARD COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Seward County Independent (Seward)

Milford Times (Milford)

YORK COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Newspapers:

Trade and Transactions (York)

York News Time (York)

Cable:

York Cablevision (York)

RICHARDSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Radio:

KTNC-AM 1230

Newspapers:

Falls City Journal (Falls City)

Cable:

Falls City Cable TV

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## PAWNEE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Cable: Time Warner Cable

Tri Star Cable

## GAGE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Radio:

KTGL-FM

KWBE-AM 1450

Cable:

Beatrice Cable TV Galaxy CableVision

Diode Cable Company

## JEFFERSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Radio:

KGMT-AM 1310

KUTT-FM 99.5

Newspapers:

Fairbury Journal News

Cable:

Time Warner Cable Tri Star Cable

## HOLT COUNTY, MISSOURI

Cable:

New Path Communications

Tri Star Cable

Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Co.

## CLINTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

Radio:

KMRN-AM 1360

KNOZ-FM 100.1 mHZ

Newspapers: Clinton County Leader

Cable:

Falcon Cablevision

New Path Communications

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## CALDWELL COUNTY, MISSOURI

Cable:

Green Hills Comm. Falcon/Capitol

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## OKLAHOMA

## KAY COUNTY, OKLAHOMA (BLACKWELL AND PONCA CITY)

Radio:

KIXR

KOKB-AM

KLOR-FM

KPNC

KLVV-FM

WBBZ-AM

Newspapers:

Blackwell Journal Tribune

Daily and Sunday Oklahoman

Ponca City News

Cable:

Post Newsweek Cable TV

Direct Mail: Customer Direct Coupons (Ponca City)

Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Ponca City)

Directories:

Transwestern Publishing Co. (Ponca City)

## GARFIELD COUNTY, OKLAHOMA (ENID)

Radio:

KXLS-FM

KLVV-FM

KOFM

KGWA Radio

KNID-FM

KCRC

KMKX

**KALV** 

Newspapers:

The Daily Oklahoman

Daily and Sunday Oklahoman

Enid News and Eagle

Garfield County Daily Legal News

Shopper's Edge

Cable:

Cablevision of Medford

Direct Mail:

Cromwells, Inc. (Enid)

PDQ Printing & Suplies (Enid)

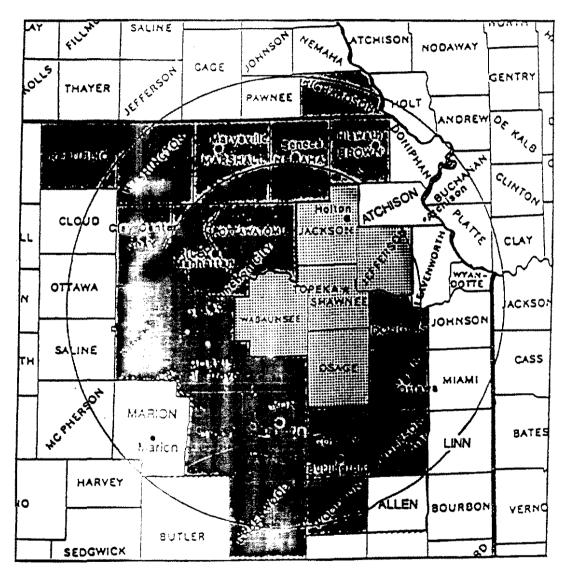
Yellow Pages: Southwestern Bell (Enid)

Outdoor:

Golden Plains Outdoor Advertising (Enid)



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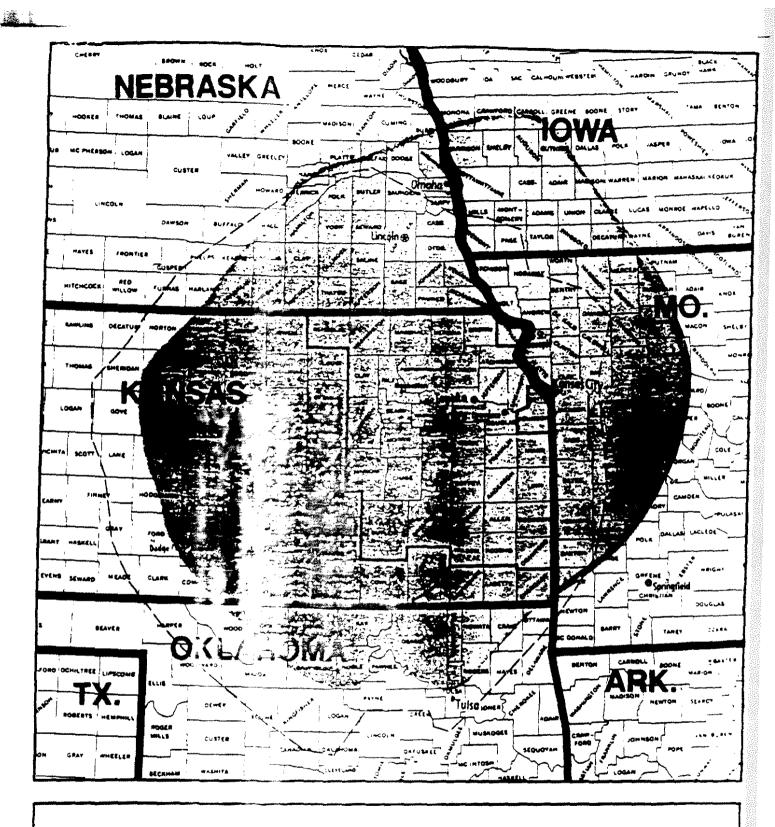


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1/2 Millivolt contour lines shown as follows:

Day: 
Night: ----

Network: CBS

Power: 5.000 watts day and night

Ground conductivity: 30



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Morris Communications Corporation Comments in MM Docket Nos. 01-235, 96-197 December 3, 2001

# APPENDIX B Amarillo Market Information

Demos: P 12+

174712 Pop:

Intab: 587

Qualitative Selection: none

Geo Area: AMARILLO, TX METRO - Std

Stations: All

# Dayparts: 1 Ranked By: P 12+ - AQH Pers (00) (All Selected Stations)

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Rank	Station	Daypaı	rt	Weeks	P 12+ AQH Rating	P 12+ AQH Share	P 12+ AQH Pers (00)	P 12+ Cume Rating	P 12+ Cume Pers (00)
1	KGNC - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.5	9.3	26	18.0	314
2	KPUR - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.4	9.0	25	16.4	287
3t	KARX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.3	8.2	23	18.1	317
3t	KZRK - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.3	8.2	23	18.1	316
5	KQIZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.2	7.5	21	15.6	272
6	KGNC - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.1	6.8	19	13.9	243
7	KPRF - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.0	6.5	18	16.1	281
8	KMML - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.9	5.4	15	14.4	251
9	KIXZ - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.7	4.7	13	10.6	185
10t	KACV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.6	3.6	10	10.0	174
10t	KAEZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.6	3.6	10	7.8	136
10t	KATP - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.6	3.6	10	7.2	125
13	KMXJ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.5	3.2	9	11.3	197
14	KXRI - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.5	2.9	8	5.8	102
15	KQFX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.4	2.5	7	3.4	59
16	KPQZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	2.2	6	2.8	49
17	KXLV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	1.8	5	8.4	147
18t	KANZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.1	3	3.7	64
18t	KDJW - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.1	3	3.4	59
18t	KJRT - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.1	3	2.5	44
18t	KRGN - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.1	3	3.2	56
22t	KZIP - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.7	2	1.2	21
22t	KZRK - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.7	2	2.0	35
24t	KBZD - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	3.3	58
24t	KFMX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	0.4	7
24t	KNNK - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	2.0	35
24t	KONE - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	0.6	10
24t	KPUR - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	3.0	52
24t	KWTS - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	1	1.4	25
30t	KASV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0
30t	KAVW - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.0	0	1.3	23
30t	KCLV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.0	0	0.2	4
30t	KCTX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0

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Demos: P 12+

Pop: 343893 Intab: 1237

Qualitative Selection: none

Geo Area: AMARILLO, TX TSA - Std

Stations: All # Dayparts: 1

Ranked By: P 12+ - AQH Pers (00) (All Selected Stations)

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Rank	Station	Daypaı	rt	Weeks	P 12+ AQH Rating	P 12+ AQH Share	P 12+ AQH Pers (00)	P 12+ Cume Rating	P 12+ Cume Pers (00)
1t	KARX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.3	8.7	45	14.9	511
1t	KGNC - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.3	8.7	45	18.3	631
3t	KGNC - AM	M-Şu	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	1.0	6.7	35	12.6	434
3t	KPUR - FM	M-Su	6:00AM ~ 12:00M	1 ~ 12	1.0	6.7	35	10.1	347
5	KQIZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM ~ 12:00M	1 - 12	0.9	6.0	31	12.8	441
6	KZRK - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.8	5.6	29	11.4	392
7	KPRF - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.8	5.0	26	12.4	426
8	KMML - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.7	4.6	24	12.4	428
9	KATP - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.6	3.8	20	7.4	253
10t	KIXZ - AM	M-Su	6:00AM ~ 12:00M	1 - 12	0.4	2.9	15	6.8	233
10t	KMXJ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.4	2.9	15	10.0	344
12t	KACV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	2.3	12	6.5	224
12t	KAEZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	2.3	12	4.9	169
14t	KQFX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	1.9	10	2.7	92
14t	KXRI - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.3	1.9	10	3.3	113
16t	KCTX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.3	7	2.4	81
16t	KNNK - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.3	7	3.0	103
16t	KPQZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.3	7	1.8	61
19t	KDDD - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.2	6	3.0	103
19t	KXLV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.2	1.2	6	4.6	157
21t	KEFH - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	1.0	5	2.8	96
21t	KLSR - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	1.0	5	1.8	63
21t	KPAN - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	1.0	5	1.6	55
24	KDJW - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	8.0	4	2.0	68
25t	KANZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	1.9	64
25t	KFMX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	0.9	31
25t	>KGRO - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3 3 3 3 3	1.1	39
25t	KJIL - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	0.5	18
25t	KJRT - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	1.3	45
25t	KQTZ - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	1.5	50
25t	KRGN - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	1.8	63
25t	KTNM - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.6	3	1.0	33
33t	KCLV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.0	35

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Demos: P 12+

Pop:

343893

Intab: 1237

Qualitative Selection: none

Geo Area: AMARILLO, TX TSA - Std

Stations: All # Dayparts: 1

Ranked By: P 12+ - AQH Pers (00) (All Selected Stations)

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Rank	Station	Daypa	rt	Weeks	P 12+ AQH Rating	P 12+ AQH Share	P 12+ AQH Pers (00)	P 12+ Cume Rating	P 12+ Cume Pers (00)
33t	KEYE - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.3	45
33t	KGRW - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	0.9	32
33t	KKBS - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	0.6	19
33t	>KLMX - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.2	40
33t	>KOMX FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.6	56
33t	KONE - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	0.9	32
33t	KPUR - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2 2 2 2	2.2	75
33t	KQAY - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	0.8	26
33t	>KRDF - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.0	34
33t	KTNZ - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.0	36
33t	KWOX - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2 2	0.8	28
33t	KZIP - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	8.0	26
33t	KZRK ~ AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.1	0.4	2	1.0	36
47t	KASV - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.3	9
47t	KAVW - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	1.1	37
47t	KBZD - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	1.9	67
47t	KGYN - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.6	22
	KLDG - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.8	28
47t	KLLL - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.7	24
47t	KPAN - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.6	20
47t	KPDR - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.4	15
47t	KRTN - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	1.0	34
47t	KWTS - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.7	25
47t	>KXIT - AM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.2	1	0.5	16
58	KHYM - FM	M-Su	6:00AM - 12:00M	1 - 12	0.0	0.0	0	0.1	3

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KWKA	Clovis	NM		X		X
KPET	Lamesa	TX		x		X
KGNC	Amarillo	TX	x	^	x	X
KFYO	Lubbock	TX	^	x	^	X X
KDDD	Dumas	TX		x		X
KJON	Anadarko	OK		X		X
KPAN	Hereford	TX		X		X
KFLP	Floydada	TX		X		x
KIXZ	Amarillo	TX	X	^		X
KXTQ	Lubbock	TX		х		X
KICA	Clovis	NM		X		x
KTUB	Wichita Fal			X		X
KTNZ	Amarillo	TX	X	~		X
KKRX	Lawton	OK		x		x
KIJN	Farwell	TX		X		x
KKYN	Plainview	TX		X		X
KVDL	Quanah	TX		x		X
KGYN	Guymon	ОК		X		x
KLVT	Levelland	TX		X		X
KGRO	Pampa	TX		x		x
KSEY	Seymour	TX		X		X
KCLV	Clovis	NM		X		X
KADS	Elk City	OK		X		x
KXIT	Dalhart	TX		X		X
KXOX	Sweetwater			X		X
KIKZ	Seminole	TX		X		x
KTUE	Tulia	TX		x		×
KSCB	Liberal	KS		X		×
KWFS	Wichita Fal			X		×
KKUB	Brownfield	TX		X		×
KZIP	Amarillo	TX	x	^		×
KCLI	Clinton	OK	^	x		x
KVMC	Colorado C			x		X
KKAM	Lubbock	TX		X		x
KKEN	Duncan	OK		X		X
KDJW	Amarillo	TX	х			X
DKPOS	Post	TX	~	x		X
KXCA	Lawton	OK		X		x
KMUL	Muleshoe	TX		X		X
KTNM	Tucumcari	NM		X		X
KEYE	Perryton	TX		X		x
KVOP	Plainview	TX		X		
KVRP	Stamford	TX		x		X
KULY	Ulysses	KS		X	•	X
KTJS	Hobart	OK		X		X
KLFB	Lubbock	TX		×		X
KALV	Alva	OK		X		X
KPUR	Amarillo	TX	x	^	x	X
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KLMX	Clayton	NM	<u>MSA</u>	<u>TSA</u>	FIN COVERAGE	AM COVERAGE
KSEL	Portales	NM		X		X
	Altus			X		X
KWHW		OK		Х		X
KSIW	Woodward	OK		Х		X
KSNY	Snyder	TX		X		X
KZUE	El Reno	OK		X		X
KBZO	Lubbock	TX		X	•	X
KYUU	Liberal	KS		X		x
KDHN	Dimmitt	TX		x		x
KQTY	Borger	TX		X		x
KZZN	Littlefield	TX		x		X
KVWC	Vernon	TX		x		х
KMXO	Merkel	TX		x		x
KCTX	Childress	TX		x		x
KCLR	Ralls	TX		X		x
KZRK	Canyon	TX	x		x	X
KWCO	Chickasha	ОК	-	x		x
KTAT	Frederick	OK		X		x
KDAV	Lubbock	TX		X		X
KWEY	Weatherfor			X		x
K201BM	Canadian	TX		X	x	^
KTXT	Lubbock	TX		X		
K201AY	Borger	TX			X	
K201CY	Clovis	NM	•	X	X	
K201C1				X	X	
	Arapaho	OK		X	X	
K201EP	Hereford	TX		X	X	
990830MJ	•	TX		X	X	
K201EV	Guymon	OK OK		Х	X	
K202AG	Elk City	OK		Х	X	
KJRT	Amarillo	TX	X		X	
K202CK	Childress	TX		x	X	
K202HI	Hobbs	NM		X	X	
K202DC	Shattuck	OK		X	X	
K202CX	Conchas	NM		x	X	
K203CB	Lubbock	TX		X	X	
KPBB	Brownfield	TX		x	X	
KPMB	Plainview	TX		×	X	
K203DG	Clovis	NM		×	X	
K204CG	Plainview	TX		x	X	
KASV	Borger	TX		x	х	
K204DB	Portales	NM		×	x	
990602MU	JHereford	TX		X	x	
K204EQ	Woodward	OK		X	x	
K205CW		TX		X	X	
K205CR	Guymon	OK		X	X	
980901MN	-	TX		X	X	
990521MA		TX		x	X	
NEW	Cache	ok		X	×	
KOHM	Lubbock	TX		X	X	
K206BB	Weatherfor					
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KXLV Amarillo	TX	X		X
K206CN Portales	NM		x	x
990723TE Clinton	OK		x	x
K207BK Walsh	CO		Х	x
990126MC Spearman	TX		x	x
KENW Portales	NM		х	x
K208DH Bushland	TX		X	x
K209BK Springfield	co		X	x
K209BT Plainview	TX		x	x
K209DI Elk City	ОК		x	x
K209BT Plainview	TX		X	x
KACV-FM Amarillo	TX	x		x
K210ML Altus	OK		x	x
K210BQ Woodward	OK		х	x
K211CF Perryton	TX		Х	X
KAMY Lubbock	TX		X	x
K211CE Raton	NM		x	X
K211CW Hobbs	NM		Х	X
K211CM Felt	OK		X	X
K211CB Guymon	OK		X	X
K211DZ Portales	NM		X	X
K211DW Tucumcari	NM		X	x
KOCU Altus	OK		X	x
KPHS Plains	KS		X	X
K212EN Elkhart	KS		X	X
K212BG Clovis	NM		X	x
K212DG Bushland	TX		X	x
990723MA Portales	NM		X	X
K212EN Elkhart	KS		X	X
KPDR Wheeler	TX		X	X
K213CU O'Donnell	TX		X	x
KBAH Plainview	TX		х	x
KAYM Weatherfor			X	X
KBAH Plainview	TX		X	x
K214BT Montoya	NM		X	x
K214CB Brownfield	TX		х	x
K214CC Hereford	TX		X	x
K214CH Keyes	TX		X	x
KAVW Amarillo	TX	Х		X
KJOV Woodward	OK		x	X
980820MA Brownfield	TX		X	X
990310MN Brownfield	TX		X	X
K214DH Portales	NM		X	X
KKVO Altus	OK		X	x
K215AM Snyder	TX		X	X
KQRI Lubbock	TX		X	X
K215BU Pampa	TX		X	x
KAXH Pampa	TX		X	X
990318MK Hobbs	NM		X	X
990623MA Hereford	TX		X	X
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K218BZ Hobbs NM
980501MA Bushland TX
KAVO Borger TX  KWLD Plainview TX  K218DI Woodrow TX  K218DB Vilas CO  K219CC Dumas TX  K219CD Dalhart TX  X  X  K219DP Fort Sumne NM  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X
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K219CC Dumas TX
K219CD Dalhart TX
K219DP Fort Sumne NM       x       x         K219DR Clovis NM       x       x         981006MG Tucumcari NM       x       x         990301MC Hobbs NM       x       x         K219DJ Wellington TX       x       x         990421MA Hobbs NM       x       x         KPSU Goodwell OK       x       x
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990830MB Dalhart TX × ×
K219FK Clinton OK x x
K220BH Santa Rosa NM x x
K220CP Pama TX x x
K220EE Levelland TX x x
K220FP Elk City OK x x
961206ME Morton TX x x
K220FT Portales NM x x
970501MZ Levelland TX x x
990319MD Santa Rosa NM x x
KXRI Amarillo TX x x
K221CX Lubbock TX x x
KMZE Woodward TX x x
K221DM Wagon Mou NM x x
KIJN Farwell TX x x
K222AK Hugoton KS x x
K224AU Laverne OK x x
KJAK Slaton TX x x
KKBS Guymon OK x x
KRMN Shamrock TX x x
KQAY Tucumcari NM x x

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KQIZ	Amarillo	TX	X	<u> </u>	X
KRKZ	Altus	ОK	~	х	x
K228DP	Clayton	NM		X	×
K228DQ	Portales	NM		X	×
KWFX	Woodward	OK		X	
KXTQ	Lubbock	TX		x	X
KSEY	Seymour	TX		x	X
KRTN	Raton	NM		X	X
KZOR	Hobbs	NM		×	×
KMXJ	Amarillo	TX		x	×
KXOO	Elk City	ok		X	X
KFMX	Lubbock	TX		X	X X
KGRW	Friona	TX		X	
K234AG	Ashland	KS		X	X
NEW	Clayton	NM			X
	Ciayton 3 Canadian	TX		X X	X
	Canadian Canadian	TX			X
KOLI	Electra	TX		X	X
K235AL	Amarillo	TX	~	X	X
KFLP	Floydada	TX	X	v	X
KSEL	Portales	NM		X	X
KDDD	Dumas	TX		X	X
KQMX	Clinton	OK		X	X
KAIQ	Littlefield			X	X
		TX		X	X
KARX	Claude	TX		X	X
KEYE	Perryton	TX		х	X
KYBE	Frederick Santa Rosa	OK		X	X
KRSR				X	X
KAZY	Woodward			X	X
KXIT KCTX	Dalhart Children	TX		X	X
	Childress	TX		X	X
K242AK	Liberal	KS TV		X	X
KLLL	Lubbock	TX		X	X
KECO	Elk City	NM		X	X
KLMA	Hobbs	NM TV		X	X
KMML	Amarillo	TX	X		X
960409MC	-	TX		X	X
KVRP	Haskell	TX		X	X
KWEY	Weatherford			X	X
KHDY	Plainview	TX		X	X
K249CD	Lubbock	TX		X	X
KHIM	Mangum	OK		X	X
KKCL	Lorenzo	TX		X	X
KICA	Farwell	TX		X	X
KRDF	Spearman	TX		X	×
KICA	Farwell	TX		X	X
KYMI	Los Ybanez			X	X
KTIJ	Elk City	OK		X	x
KPRF	Amarillo	TX		X	x
KCLV	Clovis	NM		Х	X

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KJIL Copeland	KS	MAN	X	FM COVERAGE AM COVERAGE X
KCDL Cordell	OK .		X	x
KAEF Clarendon	TX		X	×
NEW Vernon	TX		X	×
KQBR Lubbock	TX			
NEW Springer	NM		X	X
KBZD Amarillo	TX	~	Х	X
970929TE Hobbs	NM	Х	v	X
KTQM Clovis	NM		X	X
KWFX Woodward			X	X
NEW Lovington	NM		X	X
KOMX Pampa	TX		X	X
KJCM Snyder	OK		X	X
KMMX Tahoka	TX		X	X
KJCM Snyder	TX		X	X
KNNK Dimmitt	TX		X	X
			X	X
	TX		X	X
	TX		X	X
	TX		X	X
KWOX Woodward KONE Lubbock			X	x
	TX		X	X
NEW Tucumcari			X	x
NEW Pampa	TX		Х	x
KSLS Liberal	KS		X	x
KSNY Snyder	TX		X	x
KLEA Lovington	NM		X	X
KATP Amarillo	TX	X		x
KVWC Vernon	TX		X	x
K272DJ Conchas D			X	x
KKYC Clovis	NM		X	x
KWDQ Woodward			X	x
KZII Lubbock	TX		Х	X
KLDG Liberal	KS		X	x
KIXN Hobbs	NM		Х	x
KRGN Amarillo	TX	X		X
KMUL Muleshoe	TX		X	X
NEW Santa Rosa			x	X
970915TL Lubbock	TX		x	X
NEW Lamb Cty	TX		X	X
KJNZ Hereford	TX		×	X
KAMZ Tahoka	TX		×	X
KKYN Plainview	TX		x	X
KHYM Copeland	KS		X	X
NEW Clovis	NM		X	X
NEW Fort Sumn			X	X
KQFX Borger	TX		X	X
KLZK Brownfield	TX		X	x
NEW Raton	NM		X	X
K283AC Tucumcari	NM		X	X
NEW Portales	NM		X	х

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K284AC	Raton	NM	-	×	X
KYYI	Burkburnett	TX		x	x
K285EN	Roy	NM		X	x
KLGD	Tulia	TX		x	x
KZQD	Liberal	KS		X	X
NEW	Borger	TX		X	X
KLSR	Memphis	TX		X	x
KLVT	Levelland	TX		X	x
NEW	Hereford	TX		X	x
NEW	Graham	TX		x	X
K288EO	Raton	NM		x	x
K288EQ	Conchas Da			x	x
KLVT	Levelland	TX		X	x
KRBL	Idalou	TX		x	x
KAEZ	Amarillo	TX		х	x
KQTZ	Hobart	OK		х	x
NEW	Clovis	NM		X	X
K291AD	Des Moines			X	X
NEW	Santa Rosa			X	×
KSEM	Seminole	TX		x	x
KPAN	Hereford	TX		X	X
KEJS	Lubbock	TX		X	x
New	Dumas	TX		X	x
NEW	Tucumcari	NM		X	x
NEW	Juilliard	TX		X	X
KFXX	Hugoton	KS		X	x
KQTY	Borger	TX		X	X
KVOP	Plainview	TX		х	x
NEW	San Jon	NM		x	x
K296EP	Santa Rosa			X	x
NEW	Raton	NM		x	x
KOFR	Post	TX		х	x
NEW	Levelland	TX		X	x
KSMX	Clovis	NM		x	×
KSCB	Liberal	KS		x	x
NEW	Borger	TX		x	x
971014MA	_	TX		X	x
971014ME		TX		x	X
971015MF		TX		X	X
971016ME		TX		X	X
971016MG		TX		X	x
971016MI		TX		x	x
971016MJ	Idalou	TX		x	x
971016MK		TX		X	x
971016MC		TX		X	X
971016MF		TX		x	X
K300AH	Woodward	OK		x	×
KEYB	Altus	OK .		X	X
NEW	Springer	OK		X	X
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840305PH	Adventures in Media	Amarillo	TY	x	x	х
840305SU	Spectrum Media Mary H Atkins DBA	Amarillo		X	x	X
910502BA	Mimi A. Levin	Amarillo		X	X	X
930329BE	KCIT Acquisition Co. Inc.	Amarillo		X	X	X
A10305VJ	James E. Still	Amarillo		X	X	X
EA0304UF	Marcia L. Crittenden	Amarillo		X	X	X
HS0308QS	Jan Girard	Amarillo		X	X	x
JD0415RQ	Ned Mortiz	Amarillo		X	x	x
JE0415FH	Buddy Norman	Amarillo		X	X	x
K20DM	National Minority TV Inc	Amarillo		X	X	X
K36DV	Adelante Television Limited Partnership			X	X	X
K56DF	Spectrum Media	Amarillo		X	X	X
KACV-TV	Amarillo Junior College District	Amarillo		X	X	X
KAMR-TV	Quorum of Amarillo License, LLC	Amarillo		X	X	x
KAMT-LP	Hispanic Media Group LLC	Amarillo	=	X	X	X
KCIT	Mission B/Cing. Of Amarillo Lic., Inc.	Amarillo		X	X	X
KCPN-LP	Mission B/Cing. Of Amarillo Lic., Inc.	Amarillo		×	X	x
KEAT-LP	Entravision Holdings, LLC	Amarillo		x	X	x
KFDA-TV	Panhandle Telecasting Co.	Amarillo		^ X	x	X
KTXD-LP	Hispanic Media Group LLC	Amarillo		X	X	X
KVII-TV	Marsh Media, Inc.	Amarillo		X	x	X
NEW	Michael L. Mintz	Amarillo		×	X	X
NEW	Carlos Ortiz	Amarillo		^ X	x	×
NEW	Prism Broadcasting Nework, Inc.	Amarillo		x	x	X
NEW	Martin Weiss	Amarillo		^ X	x	X
NEW	Andrew Fara	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Dean M. Mosely	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Charles C. Townsend	Amarilio		X	X	x
NEW	Prime Time Christian Broadcasting, Inc			X	x	X
NEW	Puri Family Limited Partnership	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Marcia T. Turner tr/as Turner Enterprises			X	X	X
NEW	Tiger Eye Licensing, LLC	Amarillo		x	X	X
NEW	John R. Powley	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Three Angels Broadcasting Network, Inc.			X	X	X
NEW	Panhandle Telecasting Co.	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Hispanic Media Group LLC	Amarillo		X	X	x
NEW	Northfork TV Translator System	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Cyril H. Miller	Amarillo		X	X	x
NEW	Word of God Fellowship, Inc.	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Inspiration Television, Inc.	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	KM Communications, Inc.	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Equity Broadcasting Corporation	Amarillo		X	X	X
NEW	Pete E.M. Warren III	Amarillo		x	X	X
NEW	Charles C. Townsend	Amarillo		x	X	X
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	TV Booster, Digital TV, TV Allotment					
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<sup>\*</sup>Includes Program Test Authority, CP Applied for Licensed, Licensed and Dark, Unknown status

TYPE	NAME	CITY	STATE	<u>MSA</u>	<u>TSA</u>	FM COVERAGE	AM COVERAGE
Cable	Cox	Amarillo	Tx	x		x	x
	Cox	Canyon	Τx	x		x	X
	Cox	Floydada	Tx		x		X
	Cox	Plainview	Tx		x	x	X
	Cox	Lubbock	Tx		X		X
	Cox	Woolforth	Tx		X		X
	Cox	Andrews	Tx		x		X
	Cox	Clovis	N.Mex.		x		X
	Cox	Dalhart	Tx		x	X	X
	Cox	Guymon	OK		х		X
	Cox	Perryton	Tx		x		x
	Cable One	Pampa	Tx		x	X	X
	Cable One	Borger	Tx		x	X	X
	Cable One	Dumas	Tx		x	X	x
	Cable One	Sunray	Tx		X	x	X
	Cable One	Dalhart	Tx		x	x	X
	Cable One	Perryton	Tx		x	x	X
	Cable One	Fritch	Tx		X	X	X
	Cable One	Panhandle	Tx		x	x	X
	Cable One	Stinnett	Tx		x	X	X
	Cable One	White Deer	Tx		x	X	X
	XIT Rural Co-O	r Hereford	Tx		x	X	X
	Com-Cast	Portales	N.Mex.		x	x	
	Com-Cast	Tucumcari	N.Mex,		X	x	

TYPE	NAME	CITY	STATE	MSA	TSA	FM COV.	AM COV.
Advertising	Great Western Directories	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	Х
Directories	Southwestern Bell Yellow Pages	Amarillo	Tx	х		х	x
	Feist Yellow Pages	Amarillo	Tx		х	X	x
Internet	AMA now.com	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	x
	E2M Wesbtelligence Inc.	Amarillo	Tx	Х		X	X
	Leading Edge Network	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	X
	World Pages.com	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	x
Magazines	Accent West Magazine	Amarillo	Tx	х		X	x
	Amarillo Style	Amarillo	Tx	Х		X	×
	Saddle Baron Magazine	Amarillo	Tx	х		X	x
Outdoor	A to Z Billboard	Amarilio	Tx	х		X	×
	Lamar Outdoor	Amarillo	Tx	х		х	x
	Choice Outdoor	Amarillo	Tx	х		X	x
	Fast Signs	Amarillo	Tx	х		x	x
	Galaxy Outdoor	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	X
	Self Enterprises	Amarillo	Tx	х		X	x
	Image Busboards	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	x
	Skyway Outdoor	Amarillo	Tx	Х		X	x
Direct Mail	Amarillo Newcomer Ca	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	x
	G R Advertising	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	National Mail It	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Welcome Pardner	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Money Mailer	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	World Pages.com	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	X
	Castlerock Printing	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Westwind Direct	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	x
	Mail Service	Amarillo	Tx	x		X	X
	Miller National Corporation	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Panhandle Pre-sort Services	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Trafton Printing	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	x
Newspapers/	3						
Periodicals	Amarillo Globe-News	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	×
	Shopper's Window	Amarillo	Tx	Х		X	X
	Thrifty Nickel	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	X
	Lubbock Avalanche Journal	Lubbock	Tx		х		x
	Amarillo College/The Ranger	Amarillo	Tx	X		X	х
	Brownfield News	Brownfield			х		×
	Canyon News	Canyon	Tx	X		X	х
	News-Herald	Borger	Tx		х	X	х
	Abernathy Weekly Review	Abernathy			X		x
	Booker News	Booker	Tx		X		×
	Canadian Record	Canadian	Tx		Х	X	x
	Castro County News	Dimmitt	Tx		X	X	X
	Clarendon Enterprise	Clarendon			X	X	X
	Clovis News Journal	Clovis	NM		X		X
	Friona Star/Bovina Blade	Friona	Tx		X	X	X
	Crosby County News-Chronicle	Crosbyton			X		X
	Eagle Press	Fitch	Tx		X	x	X
	Idalou Beacon	Idalou	Tx		x		X
	Floyd Co. Hesperian-Beacon	Floydada	Tx		X	x	X
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Groom/McLean News	Groom	Tx	X	×	Х
Dalhart Texas	Dalhart	Tx	X	×	Х
Hereford Brand	Hereford	Tx	Х	X	Х
Boise City News	<b>Boise City</b>	OK	X		X
Memphis Democrat	Memphis	Tx	X	X	Х
Moore County New*Press	Dumas	Tx	X	X	X
County Star-News	Shamrock	Tx	X	X	Х
Hart Beat	Hart	Tx	X	X	X
Motley County Tribune	Matador	Tx	X		Х
Union County Leader	Clayton	NM	X		х
Morton Tribuine	Morton	Tx	X		X
Olton Enterprise	Oiton	Tx	Х	Х	х
Perryton Herald	Perryton	Tx	X	X	X
Plainview Daily Herald	Plainview	Tx	X	Χ	Х
The Quay County Sun	Tucumcari	NM	X		X
Slaton Slatonite	Slaton	Tx	X		X
Southwest Daily Times	Liberal	Ka	X		X
Miami Chief	Miami	Tx	X	X	Х
Quanah Tribune Chief	Quanah	Tx	X		X
Goodwell Texhoma New	Texhoma	OK	X	X	X
Kress Chronicle	Kress	Tx	X	x	X
Hansford Co. Reporter-Statesman	Spearman	Tx	X	X	X
Portales News-Tribune	Portales	NM	X		Х
Wellinton Leader	Wellington	Tx	X	X	Х
Guymon Daily Herald	Guymon	OK	X		Х
Sayre Record	Sayre	,oK	Х		X